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SUMMARY.

Cardinal Logue, Archbishop of Armagh, has warned Irishmen against an alliance with English socialists.

The "Pall Mall Gazette" says it is natural that Australia, rebuffed by England, should give an exclusive eye to her supposed interests.

It says the tariff situation is discouraging to British merchants and wage-earners, but holds Australia blameless.

Calcutta papers approve, and the Bombay papers condemn, the Anglo-Russian treaty.

Many diocesan councils have been appointed in Italy to censor literature in accordance with the Pope's recent encyclical.

Heavy rains in the south of France have given rise to most disastrous floods.

The Manchu garrisons are to be disbanded throughout China through the influence of Yuan-shi-kai.

This is considered an important step towards eradicating racial jealousy.

The ex-Crown Princess of Saxony and her husband are staying at Fiesole, Tuscany.

The King of Saxony is making an effort to obtain the surrender of her daughter, whom he acknowledges.

Fifteen people were killed and 20 injured in a collision on the Baltimore-Ohio railway.

An express collided with a mineral train at Newport, Wales. The driver of the latter was killed.

Sullivan defeated Squires in the nineteenth round. The Australian was badly punished throughout.

Alderman Sir John Charles Bell, Sheriff of the city, has been elected Lord Mayor of London.

Prince Carl of Thurn and Taxis, while "larking" at Potsdam, broke his neck while sliding down some banisters.

Mulai-el-Hafid is freely confiscating the property of wealthy Moors and Jews to pay his troops.

His influence has been declining since the arrival of the Sultan, Abdul Aziz, at Rabat, on the west coast of Morocco.

Mr. J. H. Carruthers has resigned the Premiership of New South Wales on the ground of ill-health.

Mr. C. G. Wade, the Attorney-General, will be sent for to-day and asked to form a Ministry.

Apart from official statements, it is thought the resignation has something to do with the reconstruction difficulties.

Parliament will meet as arranged to-morrow.

The revenue for last month totalled £1,046,784—an increase of £135,077 compared with September, 1906.

The quarterly figures show an increase of £290,784 compared with last year.

William Reilly at Glen Innes confessed to burning two woolsheds and murdering a man at Coongoola (Q.) in 1894.

He was brought before the local court, and remanded to Cunnamulla.

The remarkable absence of beneficial rains is causing considerable uneasiness throughout Victoria.

A man has been arrested at Lockhart on suspicion of committing a double murder in South Africa in 1903.

The Burra dredge, near Tumbarumba, has struck the best gold and tin it has come upon in five years.

Extensive bush fires are raging in the Liverpool district.

Mr. Angus Mackay, an old and respected resident of the Wagga district, died on Saturday.

Mr. M. F. Ramsay defeated Mr. Gill for the amateur golf championship of Queensland yesterday.

The Chief Justice of German Samoa emphatically declares that Germany has no designs upon Tahiti.

Considerable damage of cargo was done by a fire on the steamer Te Anau while at Westport (N.Z.) yesterday.

The professional golf competition in Melbourne yesterday was won by Soutar.

During the past three months £22,871 worth of pigiron alone has been sold from the Sandford works.

Alfred Wallace Arnold, 15, fell from a car on an Illawarra train yesterday, and was run over and killed.

The duty paid regarding probates and letters of administration last week totalled £18,745 17s 2d

The estates of the late Ebenezer Way (£136,428) and the late James Tyson (£66,779) were the chief contributors.

At the Federal Hat Mills 40 journeymen and 23 trimmers are out on strike.

Operations are being continued by the foremen and apprentices.

Captain Gregor M'Kenzie, of the steamer Camphill, committed suicide at Wellington (N.Z.) yesterday.

Artesian water has been struck at a depth of 365ft on Boolooccoroo station, near Gunnedah.

The Minister for Mines has appointed a board to inquire into the danger of using electric coal-cutting machines.

Mr. J. C. Watson considers the Federal Government should apply the anti-trust law to the coal vend.

He says the agreement is a restraint on trade as regards distribution of coal in the other States.

Tenders for the new mail contract close on Thursday. So far no tenders have been received.

Murwillumbah residents are incensed at the department demanding that they should replace telephones lost in the fire.

The South Australian revenue for the quarter shows an increase of £172,000 compared with last year.

The Darling is falling so fast that station-owners in the Wentworth district are anxious about getting their wool away.

Daniel Lansfield, 11, was killed yesterday through falling from a tram at Rockdale.

Mr. T. Henley, M.L.A., favours the abolition of the Federal Parliament, and the substitution of a Federal Council.

He suggests the Council should have plenary powers to deal with Customs and defence.

Early this morning a man was seen to fall in the water at Mort's Dock.

Nothing more was seen of him, and there is no clue to his identity.

The Government will charge one-fourth of the duty on wire netting ordered prior to the tariff.

The payments will be refunded according to the decision of the Federal Parliament to reduce or negative the duty.

Mr. Bent's proposed tax on amusements has been adversely criticised by Major Wardill and Mr. George Tallis.

Notwithstanding the strike, Melbourne was well supplied with bread yesterday.

The unionists appear to have been much astray as to the surplus labour in the trade.

The Victorian Cricket Association cannot come to terms with the M.C.C. regarding the ground for the English matches.

The M.C.C. demand 15 per cent. of the gross receipts, and the association offer 5 per cent.

Archbishop Clarke, at the Melbourne Anglican Synod, referred to the subject of Mr. O. C. Beale's report.

He asked whether the Church should remain idle while the Government investigated these vices.

A race meeting at Richmond (Vic.) yesterday in aid of Mr. Harry Boyle, the old-time cricketer, realised £300.

The Victorian revenue for the quarter was £2,000,070, compared with £1,890,363 for the corresponding period last year.

The new butter freight contract with the Federal-Houlder-Shire line is generally approved in Victoria.

Mr. Swinburne says the Government will take action if the other lines contemplate boycotting.

Business in investment stocks was quiet yesterday, but in mining ventures both copper and silver shares had fair attention.

Forecast: Hot, dry, and dusty, with rising temperatures under the influence of squally north to west winds. Thunder in parts.

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*CHINA	7,912	E. Street.....	March 14
*MOLDAVIA....	16,000	E. Gordon.....	March 28
*HIMALAYA....	6,898	W. L. Broun, R.N.R..	April 11
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*SCHARNHORST	431	Maass.....	Oct. 5
*BRUNN	5,000	Boerma.....	Oct. 19
*BREMEN.....	5,571	Schrieb.....	Nov. 30
*SEYDLITZ.....	8,000	Dewers.....	Dec. 28
*SCHARNHORST	8,131	Maass.....	Jan. 25
*G. KURFURST	13,182	E. Prehn.....	Feb. 22
*BREMEN.....	11,570	B. Nierhoff.....	Mar. 21
*SEYDLITZ.....	8,000	C. Dewers.....	April 18

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MANILA	Nov. 19	Nov. 21
PRINZ WALDEMAR.....	Dec. 17	Dec. 19

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ORIENT.....	9455	Healey....	Oct. 5	Oct. 8
OROTAVA.....	9890	Jenks....	Oct. 19	Oct. 22
†ORONTES....	9023	Ruthven....	Oct. 26	Nov. 5
*OPHIR.....	6814	and.....	Nov. 16	Nov. 19

Nov. 2	Nov. 21	Dec. 14	Dec. 17	Jan. 4
Nov. 30	Dec. 19	Jan. 11	Jan. 14	Feb. 1
Dec. 28	Jan. 16	Feb. 8	Feb. 11	Mar. 1

PASSENGER SEASON SAILINGS, 1908.

R.M.S.	Tons.	Date.	R.M.S.	Tons.	Date.
Orotava.....	9890	Feb. 5	*Asturias....	12,000	Mar. 18
*Orontes....	9023	Feb. 19	*Orizaba....	8,000	Apr. 1
*Ophir.....	6814	Mar. 4	*Durham....	8,292	Apr. 15

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Grey Active Draught Gelding, 7 yrs, any trial; Spring Van, and Harness, in perfect condition, making a good lot.

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Roan Active Draught Mare, 7 yrs, any trial; Spring Van, and Harness, in good order; also Bay Mare, broken to harness.

2 PONY SULKY LOTS, Etc.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. H. Pepper to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 a.m.,
Taffy Pony, 11 hands (bred by Chitt), a splendid pacer, and quiet in harness, bent-shaft Sulky, and Harness, making a high-class lot.

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7 First-class Heavy Draughts (3 mares, one in foal, and 4 geldings), 5 to 7 years old, all good sorts, with size and quality, splendid workers in lead or shafts, and subject to any trial.
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WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. Gilbert Hall to sell by auction at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
Brown Gelding, 4 yrs, about 14.2, by Thespian, dam by Arsby; broken to saddle and harness.

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Active Draught Bay Mare, any trial.

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WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. H. Wood to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
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Draught Gelding, used to plough and shafts.

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WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. F. Hamilton to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 15 o'clock,
REDUCTION, Bay Mare, 14.2, Rens. cert., by Master from Moderation. Performances at sale.

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WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. G. Neitch to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
JOHN H., Brown Pony Gelding, 8 years, 14 hands (a pacer), by Tyrconnel—Lucy Lane; Wagara, Bay Gelding, by Honesty (imp.), dam by Childe Harold; also chestnut Gelding, 4 years, 15 hands, by Prince Harold, dam by Barrabo. For particulars at sale.
All broken to saddle and harness.

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WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. J. S. O'Donnell, West Maitland, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
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20 Really Good HORSES, consisting chiefly of strong upstanding Harness Horses, Broughcob and van work, etc.; also a few heavy and active Draughts; the balance good saddle and harness descriptions, all 4 to 6 years old, and in the pink of condition.
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MAHOGANY TELESCOPE DINING TABLE, with spare leaves, extending 12ft.
HIGH-CLASS SIDEBOARD, IN SOLID WALNUT, with lofty bevelled mirror back, the under part constructed with plate and damask drawers and enclosed cupboard; size 5ft.
HANDSOME DINING-ROOM SUITE, IN WALNUT, upholstered in morocco leather, consisting of large couch, lady's and gent.'s easy chairs, and six high chairs, 8 pieces, to match order.
BLACK MARBLE CLOCK, striking the hours and half-hours.
TWO HANDSOME SEVRES CHINA VASES, with raised floral decorations and hand-paintings of birds.
TWO VERY HANDSOME ORMOLU BRACKETS, and ROYAL BLUE PORCELAIN VASES, with Scroll Ormolu decoration; for gas and incandescent lights.
TWO HANDSOME SEVRES CHINA VASES, with raised floral decorations.
COSTLY DRAWING-ROOM SUITE IN EBONISED AND GOLD FRAMES, upholstered in Silk Damask and Plush, consisting of handsome settee, 2 handsome chairs, two easy chairs, and six high chairs; 9 pieces.
EBONISED DRAWING-ROOM CABINET, with bevelled mirror back, the under portion fitted with plate-glass door, enclosing centre cupboard, and two side cabinets for China specimens; size 4ft.
ROYAL AXMINSTER CARPETS.
VALUABLE PERSIAN CARPET,
and
BEST QUALITY LINOLEUMS.
FEURICH PIANOFORTE,
A VERY FINE UPRIGHT MODEL, IN WALNUT CASE,
see THE STERLING QUALITIES OF FEURICH PIANOFORTES are fully acknowledged by Musicians. The above instrument is in magnificent order, and should meet with the approval of pianoforte buyers.
WALNUT PIANOLA,
WITH SEAT, IN FIRST-CLASS ORDER.
MASSIVE HALL SUITE IN FUMIGATED CARVED OAK, consisting of very handsome hall stand, with large bevelled mirror back and drawer, and two hall chairs, with carved backs.
RARE OLD ENGRAVINGS.
Very fine Impressions of Valuable Paintings.
"SYDNEY FROM THE NORTH SHORE,"
A fine Lithograph from the painting of CONRAD MARTENS, who coloured this Lithograph, which was won in a raffle by JOHN SANGSTER IN THE YEAR 1880.
SMALL LIBRARY OF BOOKS.
FINE OLD GRANDFATHER'S CLOCK,
in Rosewood Case, by MOLYNEAUX, London, in Grand Order.
STATE BEDSTEAD, IN ITALIAN WALNUT,
Also
VERY SUPERIOR BLACK AND BRASS BEDSTEADS, with Extra Quality Bedding, and for Double and Single Rooms.
Performances at sale.
MAGNIFICENT WALNUT BEDROOM SUITE, specially made in England, and very highly finished.
THE COMPLETE FURNITURE
for
FIVE WELL-APPOINTED BEDROOMS.
KITCHEN AND LAUNDRY REQUISITES,
Etc., Etc.
CATALOGUES AT THE RESIDENCE.
ON VIEW THIS DAY, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1st, from 10 o'clock a.m. to 5 o'clock p.m.

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE,
FINE ART AND FURNITURE AUCTIONEERS,
128-130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.
TELEPHONE, 2056.

286 and 287 PITT-STREET, NEAR PARK-STREET.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1,
AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK.
SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION.
of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,
Removed from
30 JAMIESON-STREET, CITY,
and from
VARIOUS OTHER OWNERS.
Under
IMPERATIVE INSTRUCTIONS.
SEVERAL HIGH-CLASS PIANOS,
including
DRAWING-ROOM FURNITURE, in great variety. Suites, Carpets, Overmantels, Cabinets, Pictures, Vases, Ornaments, China, Bric a Brac, etc.
DINING FURNITURE, in SOLID OAK, WALNUT, and MAHOGANY, comprising SIDEBOARDS, TABLES, ROCKING CHAIRS, DINING-ROOM SUITES, CHESTERFIELD LOUNGES, Divan Chairs, Linoleums, Electroplate, Glassware, etc., etc.
DOUBLE BEDSTEADS and BEDDING, in all solid brass, black and brass, fitted with best Wire and Kapoc Bedding.
25 SINGLE BEDSTEADS AND BEDDING.
TWO 8ft. ENGLISH-MADE BEDROOM SUITES, of A1 quality.
BEDROOM SUITES, in various woods and sizes. Wardrobes, Toilet Pairs, Chest of Drawers, Toilet Sets, etc., etc., etc.
HALL AND LIBRARY FURNITURE.
KITCHEN FURNITURE AND UTENSILS.
SYMONDS FURNISHING, LIMITED,
will sell as above,
At their Rooms,
285-287 PITT-STREET, NEAR PARK-STREET.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1,
at eleven o'clock.
ON VIEW THIS TUESDAY, Morning of Sale.
TERMS CASH. NO RESERVE.

THIS DAY, OCTOBER 1, AT 11 A.M.
At Mullens-street, Balmain, near Mansfield-street.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
UNDER IMPERATIVE INSTRUCTIONS.

A. G. JENKINS will sell as above, THIS MORNING, WITHOUT RESERVE.

THIS DAY, OCTOBER 1, AT 2.30 P.M.
On the Premises, 41 Elizabeth-street North.
UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE MORTGAGEES.
OAK-FRAMED ARCHES DENTAL CHAIR and STAND, Victory Dental Chair, Vulcaniser.
Set Rolling Mills, 2 Lathes.
Bamboo and Plush Chairs, etc., etc.

A. G. JENKINS
will sell as above, THIS AFTERNOON,
WITHOUT RESERVE.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
TO-MORROW, OCTOBER 2, AT 12 NOON.
Under Instructions from
THE CURATOR OF INTESTATE ESTATES.
In the Estate of Smith Sullivan, deceased.
VERY HEAVY GOLD RING, set with ONE DIAMOND, and four EMERALDS.

A. G. JENKINS
will sell as above TO-MORROW at NOON,
THIS DAY.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 347A Pitt-street—
THE UNREDEEMED PLEDGES pawned with Mr. D. Collins, of the London Mont de Piete Loan Office, 95 Oxford-street.
At 11 o'clock—Clothing, Boots, Blankets, etc.
At 12.30—Sundries of every description.
At 2 o'clock—Jewellery, consisting of Single Stone, Half-hoop, and Cluster Diamond Rings, Gold and Silver Chronographs, Lever and Waltham Watches, Gold Albertz, Muff Chains, Links, Necklets, etc., Diamond Brooches, Earrings, Bracelets, Pins, Studs, etc., Drum, Signet, Keeper, and Wedding Rings.

EIGHT-HOUR DAY.—Rickard's Auction, Hazelbrook. Special Return Tickets, 3s 6d, at 84B Pitt-st.

NEAR CRONULLA, PORT HACKING.

THE GREAT HOLIDAY AUCTION ON EIGHT-HOUR DAY, AT 2 P.M., WILL BRING INTO FORCE HALLORAN'S UNIQUE PROVISO, WHICH PROVIDES, IN THE EVENT OF PURCHASER'S DEATH, FOR AN ABSOLUTE TRANSFER OF THE LAND TO BE GIVEN, WITHOUT FURTHER PAYMENT, OR A REFUND OF MONEY PAID ON PURCHASE. 121 CHOICE, LARGE LOTS, ELEVATED, COMMANDING CHARMING VIEWS. ONLY 41 DEPOSIT. 10s MONTHLY. TORRENS TITLE. DRAGS LEAVE AUCTIONEER'S OFFICES 10 A.M. ON DAY OF SALE. RETURN FARE, 1s 6d. OBTAIN TICKETS AT ONCE. PIONEER'S OFFICES 10 A.M. ON GROUND AT CITY PRICES. GET PLAN AND PICTURE BOOKLET AND COME WITH US. THIS PUBLIC WILL FIX THE PRICES.

THE BURRANEER BAY ESTATE.

SALVAGE. SALVAGE.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY,
on the Premises of Mr. GEORGE MARTIN,
238 KENT-STREET, Scene of the late Fire,
AT 11 A.M.
Under Instructions from the Assessors.
ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,
WITH ALL FAULTS,
DUTY PAID.
80 PACKAGES INDIAN, CEYLON, and CHINA TEAS, DEVONIA and ASTER PACKET TEAS, in 1's, 4's, and 10s.
Also,
A Large Quantity of the Following:—
Java, Japan, and Rangoon Rice, Rolled Oats, Chocolate, Coffee Essence, Coffees, Cocoas, Hominy, Pearl, Universal, and Soluble, Mustard, Self-raising Flour, Curry Powder, Pepper, Cayenne, Semolina, Lentil Flour, Pearl Barley, Split Peas, etc., etc.
Also,
A Special Consignment of GREY FLANNEL and TWEED SUITINGS, for the Summer Season.
Quantity of Sugars, Adams, and Co.'s COLONIAL WINES.

FRASER, UTHER, AND CO., LTD., have received instructions from the Assessors, to sell by auction above, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, the 1st OCTOBER, on the Premises, 238 KENT-STREET, at 11 A.M.

WEDNESDAY, 2nd OCTOBER,
AT THE CITY MART, 8 SPRING-STREET,
AT 11.30 A.M.
ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,
WITH ALL FAULTS,
EX S.S. VICTORIA, 1571 in Diamond.
NUMBER 301,
1 CASE LADIES' SILK BLOUSES.

FRASER, UTHER, AND CO., LTD., have received instructions to sell by auction, the above.

THURSDAY, 3rd OCTOBER,
at
PARBURY'S WHARF, LOWER FORT-STREET,
at 3 p.m.
Ex AYRSHIRE,
DUTY PAID.
80 CASES
GALVANISED CORRUGATED IRON,
26 GAUGE.

6ft	7	8	9	10	12	14	16	18	20	24	5	14 Cases
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	feet.					

FRASER, UTHER, AND CO., LTD., have received instructions to sell by auction, the above.

AUCTION SALES.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3rd, 1907,
11 o'clock.
IN THE ROOMS, 289 PITT-ST (two doors from Park-street), under the Masonic Club.

ORLANDO I. KEMPTHORNE will submit by auction, on account of various owners,
A VERY FINE ASSORTMENT OF NEW AND SECOND-HAND FURNITURE.
SPLENDID PIANO (DOERNER).
MAGNIFICENT UPRIGHT GRAND PIANO (DOERNER).
TWO OTHER PIANOS.
TWO VERY FINE WALNUT SUITES.
FOUR BEDROOM SUITES.
WARDROBES, CHIFFONIERS.
TOILET PAIRS and TOILETWARE.
CARPETS and CURTAINS.
TABLES and CHAIRS.
LINOLEUMS and OIL-CLOTHS.
PAINTINGS and PICTURES.
GAS STOVES and MANTLE.
SIDEBOARDS and HALL STANDS.
BEDSTEADS and BEDDING.
OVERMANTELS and MIRRORS.
GENERAL SUNDRIES.
N.B.—No expense has been spared in making the Premises the most up-to-date auction rooms in Sydney.
TO THOSE FURNISHING AND THE TRADE.
IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE OF HIGH-CLASS FURNISHINGS AND EFFECTS,
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, AT 11,
AT KELSON'S CENTRAL SALEROOMS,
113 CHURCH-STREET,
the contents of Four Residences,
MAGNIF. U.G. "KNABE and CO." PIANOFORTE.
Mas. Stool, Rosewood, "BROADWOOD" Grand PIANO.
Upright Grand "NEUFELD" WALNUT PIANO.
2 HIGHLY-FINISHED 4ft SIDEBOARDS.
Old Earth, Rosewood M.-t. Suites, Overmantels, Occ. Occas. Tables, Din. Tables, Polished Pine Table. Cedar Office Table, Side and Hall Tables, Hallstands. Pictures, Oil Paintings, Oleographs, Fine, etc.
Wal. and Art Overmantels, Glassware and Crockery.
Bamboo Whatnots, Bamboo and Rattan Chairs, Aust. Chairs.
High-back Din.-rm. Chairs, 9 Genta.'s Rockers, Curtains.
Wal. Whatnot, 18 Carpets, Hearth Rugs and Rugs, 12 ROOMS FINE LINOLEUMS, in rooms 9 x 12—16 x 12.
5-pce. Bed. Bag Suite, Tap, and Plush Draw.-rm. Suite.
Stair Runners and fine Brass Rods, Leather Din. Suite.
Inlaid Wal. Oval Table, Set Tea Sets, Cruets, Cutlery.
Salvers, E. P. Ware, Large Cut Glass Dish, A. C. Couch.
MAGNIFICENT 5-PCE. BEDROOM SUITE.
SUPERIOR 5-PCE. BEDROOM SUITE.
Dble. and Sgle. Wardrobes, Pol. Pine 6-dr. Chest and Comb. Chests, Swing Mirrors, 3-dr. Toilets.
Chester Floral Toilet Ware, Washstands.
HEAVY TUBULAR BRASS-MTD. DOUBLE BEDSTEADS with Extra Quality Springs and Full Bedding.
Single Bedsteads, Wire Stretchers, and Bedding.
15 Blankets, Bed Drapes and Curtains.
Kitchen Chairs, 2 Gas Stoves, Cane Birds.
Set Electric Light Globes, Part Dinner Service.
Singer DROP-HD. 7-DR. SEW. MACHINES (as new).
Reale 5-dr. Sew. Machine, Kit. Safes, Tinware.
Enamelware, Utensils, Tubs, Clothes, Buckets.
Hang. Safes, Glass Enclosed Dresser, Kit. Tables.
Wooden Forms, etc.
CATALOGUES AT THE RESIDENCE.
ON VIEW THIS DAY, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1st, from 10 o'clock a.m. to 5 o'clock p.m.

HAYMARKET.

THIS (TUESDAY) AFTERNOON,
AT 2 O'CLOCK.
AT THE HAYMARKET AUCTION ROOMS,
772 George-street.
2 VAN LOADS GOOD CLEAN FURNITURE,
moved from Summer Hill, Marrickville, etc., comprising—Drawing and Dining Suites, Overmantels, Pictures, Lace and Tap. Curtains, 5 first-class Carpet Squares, Rooms Linoleum and Oilcloth, Bookcase, Aust. and High-back Leather-seated Dining Chairs, Cedar and 8ft. Walnut Sideboards, Bed, Double, 1, and Single Bedroom Suites; Chest Drawers, Combinations, Toilet Ware, Crockery, Glass, and Cutlery.
Dbl. All Brass Italian Bedstead, brass-mtd. Bedsteads, with Wires and Kapok Sets, complete; Single and 1 Ditto; Exten. Tables, Kitchen Dressers, Safes, Tinned and Enamel Ware, etc. etc.
Blankets, Sheets, Quilts.

E. HEBDEN BRODRIBB
will sell as above, WITHOUT RESERVE.

IN BANKRUPTCY.
ESTATE OF ALEXANDER.
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3, AT 11 A.M.
AT MESSRS. BARNARD and CO.'S ROOMS,
140 CASTLEREAGH-STREET.
UNDER ORDER OF
W. HARRINGTON PALMER, Esq.,
Official Assignee.
THE WHOLE OF THE SUPERIOR
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
AND EFFECTS, IRON SAFE,
Sundries, Etc.
Fuller particulars in future issue.

C. F. W. LLOYD will sell by auction, as above, Without Reserve. Terms, Cash. Offices, 182 Phillip-street.

TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, AT 11 A.M.,
on the Premises,
855 DOWLING-STREET, MOORE PARK, close Cleveland-street.
POSITIVELY UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION of GENERAL FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,
Comprising Wardrobe, Chests Drawers, Linoleums, and Sundries.
ON VIEW TO-MORROW, prior to sale.

ALLDIS AND CO.,
AUCTIONEERS, BONDI JUNCTION,
have been favoured with instructions from Mr. A. HARDLY, who is leaving for New Zealand, to sell by auction, WITHOUT RESERVE, on above,
THIS DAY, at 2 o'clock.
MIDDLETON and CO. sell by auction, at 179 George-street West,
300 lots Navy and Second-hand Clothing, Ladies' New and Second-hand Dresses, Blouses, Jackets, Capes, Underclothing, Boots, Men's Suits, Shirts, Trousers, Coats, Vests, Children's Underclothing, Remnants, Bed Linen, Blankets, etc. NO RESERVE.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, at 11 o'clock.
HENRY LEVY will sell by auction, at 442 Pitt-st, near Market, Henry Levy, Esq., Estate of Country Store, consisting of Drapery, Clothing, Boots, etc., in trade lots. No Reserve.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE OF FIRST-CLASS BUILDING MATERIALS,
BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, AT 11 A.M.,
on the Site,
HOWARD-STREET, OFF GEORGE-STREET WEST, HILLIER'S COACH FACTORY and SHOWROOMS, stand on the CORNER of GEORGE-STREET WEST and HOWARD-STREET.
DEMOLITION OF 6 TWO-STORY HOUSES, comprising
60,000 SANDSTOCK BRICKS, all grey spotted and full size, equal to matches.
350 Sheets GOSPEL OAK BRAND IRON, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 ft. The whole of the above Iron is bright and clean.
30000ft H'wood and Oregon Joists, 8 x 2, 14 and 15 ft.
40000ft H'wood, Oregon Rafters and Plates, 4 x 3, 4 x 2½.
20000ft H'wood, 2 x 2; 1500ft 3 x 1 Pine Battens.
3000ft 6 x 1 T. and Grooved H'wood Flooring.
1750ft 6 x 1 Kauri and Oregon Flooring.
2000ft 6 x 1 and 6 x 4 inch Partitions and Lining.
9 FRONT ENTRANCE DOORS and Frames, complete.
20 Modern Panel Doors, with Jambs and Arch.
25 Box Frames and Sashes, French Casements.
REGISTER GRATES and MANTELS COMPLETE.
Water and Gas Piping, Sanitary Fittings.
2000ft 6ft PALING and PICKET FENCE.

A. BARNETT
will sell as above, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 2½ o'clock, WITHOUT RESERVE. AN ALL-DAY SALE.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—No. 10,787.—In the Will and Codicil of RICHARD HUGHES, late of Balmain, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Pitchdigger, deceased.—NOTICE is hereby given that the fifth Accounts and Plan of Distribution in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Queen's-square, King-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the fourth day of November, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto, otherwise if the said Accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And Notice is also hereby given that on the allowance of the said Accounts by the Court commission will be applied for. Dated this thirtieth day of September, in the year 1907. T. W. GARRETT (L.S.), Registrar. GEO. CRICHTON SMITH, Proctor for the Executors. Mutual Life of New York buildings, Martin-place, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of EDWARD RYAN, late of Tripot, near Grenfell, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer and Grazier, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the Will of the above-named deceased may be granted to THOMAS JAMES RYAN, of Tripot, near Grenfell, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, and THOMAS JOHN KELLY, of Grenfell aforesaid, Hotel Proprietor, Farmer and Grazier, the Executors named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. All persons having any claims against the Estate of the said deceased are requested to immediately furnish particulars thereof to the undersigned. FREDERICK CROMMELIN, Proctor for the Applicants, Commercial Bank Agents, Sydney. ELLIS and BUTTON, Solicitors, 84 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of MARGARET DALTON, late of Bankstown, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to MARY ANN ELLIOTT and FRANCIS JOSEPH DALTON, the Executor named in the said Will. All notices may be served at the office of the undersigned, to whom all claims should be sent within the number of days above mentioned. W. WINDEYER, Proctor for the Executrix and Executor, 79 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JOHN ROBERT HEARN CAPPER, late of Stroud, in the State of New South Wales, Householder, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to EMILY GERTRUDE CAPPER, of Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, the Sole Executrix in the said Will named. And all notices may be served and particulars of all claims may be left at the office of the undersigned, whose Agents in Sydney are Messrs. McDONELL and MOFFITT, of George and Wynyard streets. Dated this first day of October, A.D. 1907, and nine hundred and seven. ELLIOTT and ALLEN, Proctors for Executrix, Dungog.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of THOMAS FRANCIS RANSOM, late of North Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Architect, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to HUGH FRANCIS ROOSE, of Sydney, in the said State, the sole Executor named; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. CLAUDE MANNING, Solicitor for Executor, Mutual Life-buildings, Martin-place, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of ALBERT RAHBI late of Hill Dale, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the said deceased without a bond or surety. And all notices may be served and claims sent in to the office of the undersigned. HOOKE and MEIN, Proctors for the Applicant, Dungog.

DUTY STAMPS for Legal Documents sold to any amount at W. M. Fingerald's, 94 Elizabeth-st, next door to "The Balfour," opposite the Supreme Court, King-street.

EIGHT-HOUR DAY.—Rickard's Auction, Hazelbrook. Special Return Tickets, 3s 6d, at 84B Pitt-st.

PRODUCE AND PROVISIONS.

MALT VINEGAR, Silver Medal and Certificate at Sydney Show, Mott's Vinegar Works.

EIGHT-HOUR DAY.—Rickard's Auction, Hazelbrook. Special Return Tickets, 3s 6d, at 84B Pitt-st.

TO-MORROW,
WEDNESDAY, 2nd OCTOBER, 1907,
AT 11 O'CLOCK,
ABSOLUTELY UNRESERVED SALE
BY AUCTION,
AT THE MART,
124, 126, and 128 CASTLEREAGH-ST.
UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM
THE AGENTS FOR THE SHIPPERS,
EX SCHWABEN,
3 CASES EIDELWEISS LACE,
A Large and Varied Assortment of Patterns, Colours, and Widths,
Specially Indented for the Present Season. Value over £400.
EX OCEANIEN,
1 CASE FRENCH SILK EMBROIDERED BLOUSE LENGTHS,
White, Black, and Coloured.
ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,
WITH ALL FAULTS (IF ANY).
EX BENDOVA,
THIRTY-TWO BALES
WEBSTER'S SEAMING TWINES,
each 25 bundles, each 1 dozen lbs.
20 Bales Super 5-ply
10 Bales No. 1 Italian 5-ply
2 Bales Super 3-ply.
IN GOOD ORDER AND CONDITION.
1 BALE 5-PLY SEAMING TWINE, 40/lb.
NOTICE is hereby given that the ninth accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, King-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the first day of November, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise if the said Accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And Notice is also hereby given that on the allowance of the said Accounts by the Court commission will be applied for. Dated this 30th day of September, in the year 1907. T. W. GARRETT (L.S.), Registrar. SLY and RUSSELL, Proctors for the Administrator, 309 George-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of EMILY CHARLOTTE DOWLING, late of Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Married Woman, deceased.—NOTICE is hereby given that the Seventh Accounts and Plan of Distribution in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are h

BY ROYAL WARRANTS OF APPOINTMENT TO HIS MAJESTY THE KING AND H.R.H. THE PRINCE OF WALES.

BUCHANAN'S WHISKY—

"BLACK AND WHITE."

FACILE PRINCEPS. SEMPER IDEM.

PROFESSIONS, TRADES, ETC.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH.
J. I. MARSHALL, DENTIST,
28 WYNYARD SQUARE,
A PERFECTLY FITTING FULL SET OF TEETH FOR £3 3s.
Masticating power guaranteed. These are the BEST and LOWEST in FEES that can be made compatible with COMFORT, FAITHFUL WORKMANSHIP, and NATURAL APPEARANCE OR BEAUTY. Both Plates for Under gums. Old misfitting cases remodelled, or allowed for. Nervous patients fitted with teeth if required without interfering with own defective natural ones or roots. The most difficult cases invited.
ABSOLUTELY PAINLESS EXTRACTIONS or STOPPINGS from 1s 6d.
Gold Crowns, Gold Plates, Gold Fillings, Pivots, from 10s 6d.
Free Consultations, and quotations gladly given.
J. I. MARSHALL, DENTIST,
28 CARRINGTON STREET, WYNYARD-SQUARE
(1 minute from G.P.O.).

A. T. PITTAR'S
ADVICE TO PATIENTS.
SAVE EVERY TOOTH that can possibly be saved by having them filled or crowned. I can do it by the latest
PAINLESS METHODS.
at lowest possible fees. There are no teeth as good as your own.
If the teeth are past saving, then I can remove them for 2s 6d, and guarantee my method ABSOLUTELY PAINLESS under a forfeiture of £10.
6 OXFORD-STREET (opp. Mark Foy's). Tel., 106 William-street.
188A PITT STREET (opp. Civil Service Stores). Tel., 4791.

A DENTAL NOTICE.
Painless Extractions by my local Anæsthetic, guaranteed perfectly safe. Perfect Set of Teeth fr. £1 1s.
HUBERT TOLHURST, R.D.S., etc.,
46 George-st West (Comby. opp. Fire Sta. T., 227 Glb.

A.—SEEING IS BELIEVING.
Call to-day and examine my beautiful Coraline Gum Sets of Teeth. A written guarantee given for five years, but the plates will last a lifetime.
1s ABSOLUTELY PAINLESS EXTRACTIONS. 1s
SPENCER NOLAN,
THE PAINLESS DENTIST,
66 and 72 Oxford-street.
Gold Stoppings from 10s 6d.
A good fitting Set of Teeth from £1 1s.

A.—PASCOE'S PAINLESS MODERN AMERICAN DENTISTRY.
Tel., 4756. TOR N. S. WALES PEOPLE.
HOFFNUNG'S CHAMBERS, 161 Pitt-street, next G.P.O.
ARTIFICIAL TEETH.—Have the natural teeth have been lost, the contour, the health, the speech, and the personal appearance will be greatly enhanced by the substitution of artificial teeth. The time has arrived when artificial teeth are to many considered as essential as food or clothing. Good health, good appearance, and comfort depend upon the dentist's ability in making thoroughly fitting sets of teeth. Ill-fitting sets are detrimental to health, and have never failed to give satisfaction.
A good set of either upper or lower teeth, £2 2s; fitted with our most natural porcelain gums, £3 3s.
A LOWER SET OF TEETH FROM £1 1s, absolute fit, small teeth, and nicely finished. Repairs cheaper in Sydney. Teeth on plate, 2s 6d, 3s 6d each. Appointments made for Wed. and Sat. Afternoons.
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DEATHS.

BLACK.—September 29, 1907, at her residence, 222 Bourke-street, Darlinghurst, Mary Black, relict of the late James John Black, aged 65 years. R.I.P.

GOULD.—September 30, at the Coast Hospital, Little Bay, Raymond, aged 2 years, dearly beloved son of Arthur Gould, of Boggabilla.

HEAD.—September 30, 1907, at her residence, Kanibula, Medlow Bath, Sarah Elizabeth Head, widow of the late Rev. R. J. Read, aged 65. Burial at Springwood Wednesday afternoon.

TAYLOR.—At the residence of her daughter (Mrs. W. Hart), Devonia, Albany-street, Ellen H. Taylor, aged 69 years and 9 months, of cancer. At rest.

THORNE.—September 28, at Parramatta, Nora Elizabeth, wife of Arthur E. Thorne, of Avondale, Queensland. Funeral will take place at 4 p.m. on Wednesday.

IN MEMORIAM.

BYRNE.—In loving memory of our dear sister, Maria, Mrs. Hurb Byrne, who died at Epsom-road, Waterloo, on October 1, 1900. Inserted by Mrs. D. P. Hayes and Mrs. A. McNamara. R.I.P.

ELDERTON.—In loving memory of Helen Sophia Elderton, who died 1st October, 1904, at Hughenden, Albany-street, North Sydney. Inserted by her son and daughter-in-law, W. N. and Amy Elderton.

FITZGERALD.—In fond and loving memory of Anne Mary Fitzgerald, who died October 1, 1904, at Napier, New Zealand. Sweet Jesus have mercy. Inserted by her loving sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Flood.

GARTRELL.—In sad but loving memory of our darling son, Lancelot Hector Francis, who departed this life September 29th, 1905, aged 10 years. We miss you most that loved you best. Inserted by his loving parents, R. F. and E. Gartrell.

HALLEY.—In ever-loving remembrance of our dearly beloved eldest son and brother, Belton Andrew Halley, who was killed in action at Elandskopje, South Africa, October 1st, 1900. Inserted by his affectionate mother and father, sisters, Ada, Annie, and May, and only brother, Arthur.

HALLEY.—In loving memory of Belton, who was killed in action at Elandskopje, South Africa, October 1st, 1900. Ever remembered by his dear friend, Susie Simmonds.

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HODGSON.—In sweet memory of dear mother, Jane Hodgson, who passed away October 1st, 1906. We shall meet again in the glory land. Inserted by her loving family.

KEANE.—In loving memory of my dear father, Patrick Keane, who departed this life on 1st October, 1903. May his soul rest in peace. Inserted by his loving daughter, Mrs. Ryan.

KEANE.—In loving memory of our dear father, Patrick Keane, who died at his residence, Kilruth, 37 Toxteth-street, Glebe Point, 1st October, 1903. Sweet Jesus, have mercy on his soul. Inserted by his loving family.

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M'MAHON.—In sad and loving remembrance of our dearly beloved son and brother, James Albert M'Mahon, who was accidentally drowned in the Rose Bay fatality, October 1st, 1899, aged 9 years. Though lost to sight to memory ever dear. Inserted by his sorrowing father and mother, John and Charlotte, and brothers and sisters.

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PUNCH.—In loving memory of Nicholas Punch, who died at Parkes on October 1, 1906. Inserted by his loving wife and children, N. Punch, Parkes.

SIMMONDS.—In fond and loving memory of our darling son, who departed this life October 1, 1905. Percy and Rhona.

WELLS.—In loving memory of my dear husband and our dear father, Charles William Wells, who departed this life 30th September, 1900. Inserted by his loving wife and two daughters, Emily and Florrie. Dead, but not forgotten.

WOOLLER.—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Charles William, who died October 1, 1905. Dearly loved and sadly missed. Thy will be done. Inserted by his loving parents, brothers, and sister.

RETURN THANKS.

Mr. W. ANDERSON, of St. Elmo, Zetland, desires to return THANKS to many kind friends who sent wreaths, telegrams, and letters in his late sad bereavement.

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THE POLITICAL CRISIS.

The resignation of Mr. Carruthers has created a crisis in State politics which may have some important developments. At first sight it would appear fairly certain that things must continue without much change, so far as parties are concerned. By the practice of the Constitution the Government resigns when the Premier resigns, and as Mr. Carruthers is a sick man, the other changes follow. If Mr. Wade manages to make a Government it will be to carry out the policy that was put before the electors early last month, and by them adopted. It may be, also, that the Premier's resignation is but preliminary to his retirement from politics altogether. He has borne a heavy burden in the recent elections, and fought always in the van. Sympathy will be felt and expressed everywhere with him in the illness from which he is suffering, and this alone should help to strengthen the hands of any Liberal Government succeeding him. If it should happen that Parliament is not to see Mr. Carruthers in active politics again, or if he is to come on later in restored health as a supporter of Mr. Wade, there need be no fear of untoward developments. Meanwhile it is enough to repeat that his condition demands the fullest forbearance. He is entitled to the country's regard for his achievements in legislation; but as a leader struck down in harness after a fight in which he carried his colours through to victory he commands our warmest solicitude. On every count he deserves to be regarded still as the maker of the Liberal policy, and as a successful exponent of the reform platform. We sincerely hope that he will speedily be restored to health again, and find the rest and consideration that he has honestly won.

Such being the position there seems to be no reason why the pledges given to the country should not be honoured, and a Liberal Government formed to realise the platform upon which the elections have just been fought. The question of finance will necessarily be the most important thing to deal with. No difficulty should be experienced either in obtaining supply or in keeping the main financial promises of the election campaign. Economy in expenditure, and an eye for possibilities in reform generally, are the chief needs on the one hand, while the giving of relief from taxation is an essential on the other. Mr. Waddell should be able to deal with these matters as Treasurer. He would not be taking up unfamiliar work or stopping a gap. He is actually concerned, both from experience and in duty bound, to deal fairly with the taxpayers, and there is nothing in the state of parties or in Mr. Carruthers's resignation to prevent the adjustment of our financial burdens. Railway rate reduction has already been dealt with through the department concerned, and is practically out of the way. But the total proposed remission of taxation covers nearly a quarter of a million sterling, and after that has been definitely arranged the last financial year showed a surplus of half a million. What is wanted, therefore, is the provision for lifting as much of the income tax as is covered by earnings from personal exertion, and the rest of the items included in the late Premier's pledges. But even now fresh from the elections, with a majority in favour of a settled programme, much must depend on the party leaders. If the new Government as re-formed by Mr. Wade is strong it will last and do good service by taking up the platform of Mr. Carruthers, but if it is badly composed and led, then the outlook for the next session is unsatisfactory.

WAGES BOARD OR ARBITRATION ACT?

The chairman of the gathering in the Trades Hall at the unfurling of the new Eight-hours banner on Saturday declared the mind of the unionists concerning the establishment of a Wages Board. Before the Arbitration Act runs out by effluxion of time, as it will do presently, it is advisable to consider the next step. Shall we re-enact that measure, with all its inefficiency, or shall we substitute something better? On one point there is unanimous agreement. We absolutely must have some means of hearing and dealing with disputes between employers and employed, in the immediate interests of both, and with a view to preventing the disastrous strikes that have wasted the resources of both in the past. The barbarous expedient of the strike must be permanently superseded by some means of bringing the two interests together. Some people professed to think that the Arbitration Act would do that. But experience of its working has shown that it is powerless to prevent strikes, that it presses unduly on the employers, who by investing capital have given hostages to fortune, and that it has no real hold on unionists except those who neglect to pay their dues to the unions to which they belong. It has been tried and found wanting. It is under these circumstances that the Victorian Wages Board is proposed for the present system, in the hope that at least something definite will result from the long and laborious investigations to which we have become accustomed.

But this suggestion does not win favour from unionists, if the chairman of Saturday's meeting can be regarded as their spokesman. He urged the necessity for opposing the proposed change, and declared that unionists were in favour of amending the Arbitration Act, but not of repealing it. Of course, if the Labour party can secure such amendments in the Act as would be entirely satisfactory to its supporters outside Parliament, the measure so amended might be an ideal piece of legislation from the unionists' point of view. That is to say, it might prove so if the authors of the amendments knew exactly what they meant and succeeded in expressing it in the text of the new bill. But it would be one-sided, while the distinctive quality of a Wages Board is that it provides for full and open inquiry by representatives of both sides, employers and employed, who are quite familiar with the conditions of the trade. They confer quietly together in the light of this full knowledge, without the assistance of lawyers, and when they come to a mutual agreement its terms are practical. Appeal is open, but under such circumstances there is usually nothing left to appeal about. The scheme met with a good deal of opposition when it was first introduced in Victoria, but both sides are now accustomed to it there, and there is no talk of compulsory arbitration. Since we must have industrial disputes and some way of adjusting them, this Wages Board system is surely as effective as any.

THE NEW PROTECTION.

Some curiosity is felt as to the details of the "new protection" scheme which the Treasurer is expected to unfold in the House of Representatives to-day. The Labour members understand it in one way and the protectionists another, and probably Sir William Lyne himself will not be too certain until the last moment how best to shape the scheme to give least offence and secure the most support. But in the rough it appears to be fairly well taken for granted that it is intended to place restrictions on manufacturers and their way of carrying on business if they are to derive any benefit under the tariff. The Labour party has voiced a misgiving that the highly-protected manufacturer may not only draw a huge profit from the secure market the tariff will give him by driving out the foreign and British competitor, but from the high prices this absence of competition will enable him to charge the consumer, and from the low wages he will pay his operatives as well. How does the Government propose to set up a guarantee against this abuse? The answer appears to be, by further interfering between employer and employed, and harassing industry by vexatious restrictions. The tariff advantage, we are told, may be neutralised by means of an excise on manufactures, subject to a provision that employers who can get a certificate that their wages are satisfactory and their prices not raised may be exempt from this payment.

It sounds almost distressingly simple, and it might be so in practice if all local and trade conditions were the same. But they differ in every industry, and often in the same branch of industry, and even in the same workshop or factory at different times of the year. How is it proposed to keep a check on these variations? Close, continuous, and inquisitionary supervision is the only way, and to say that is to presuppose the existence of a new department, with its boards, its inspectors, its detectives, and other officers, and its ceaseless interference and friction with industry. In large establishments work might easily become intolerable under such conditions, and people with capital will certainly shrink from the responsibilities they would incur as a consequence of their investing in any industrial pursuit. If the scheme is intended to prevent the establishment of new industries, securing the field to those already under way, it is ingenious enough. But we are told that the tariff is to encourage the introduction of new enterprises. To be sure, so far as the Labour party is concerned it has a ready answer to the difficulty such a state of things would present. Does an industry find the conditions irksome? Then nationalise the industry out of hand, and there you are. But we have yet to see how far the Federal Parliament is prepared to accept unreasonable interference with employers having this as the alternative or the result, and on that point members will have a good deal to say if Sir William Lyne unfolds his scheme today.

REDUCED RAILWAY RATES.

In nearly every State in the Commonwealth there has been or will be a reduction in the railway rates for freight and passengers, and Queensland and Western Australia have come into line almost together. Last week our news columns contained word from the northern State that new goods and live stock rates were just issued, and that many important alterations would come into force to-day. It was noted especially that the changes would bring the rates to the same basis as held before the increase of July, 1902, when 10 per cent. was added all round. Mr. Kidston is thus doing what should have been accomplished long ago; or rather it should be said that he is undoing what more than anything else tended to make the railway administration of the previous Government unpopular. Mr. Leahy, now Speaker of the Queensland Legislative Assembly, made the increase in rates during drought when Minister for Railways, and it has always been remembered against him. Now that the Queensland railways have earned £4 4s per cent., thus establishing a local record, and show a surplus approaching a quarter of a million, it is wise to ease the burden, and Mr. Kidston must be happy to have the chance of getting back to better conditions.

In the case of Western Australia there seems to be some doubt whether the reduction of rates is timely or advisable. It is true that for ten years she has annually shown a balance to the good after paying working expenses and interest, but the surplus lately has been a diminishing quantity. The net profits for the year 1906-7 were £42,692, as compared with £84,224 in 1905-6. As comment in the State press indicates, this represents a serious falling off if comparison is confined to two years. But there has been development with closer settlement, and production in the State has tended to reduce imports. Moreover, local troubles in the timber trade have dislocated railway revenue for a season, and there have been fluctuations in other directions. Still, when the whole position is reviewed, it would seem as if Western Australia had need of special statesmanship in dealing with her railways, as the total revenue today has really not advanced beyond that of five years ago. So the rates are to be reduced, and presumably management is to be made as businesslike as possible. The idea is to maintain the profitable standard of the past, and not to allow the lines to lose their proud pre-eminence in the Commonwealth. For the rest, we may note that the progress in Victoria and New South Wales which has justified substantial reduction of rates, or a promise of reduction, seems still to be maintained. In this State something like £300,000 will have been surrendered to the users of the railways since last October, when all the concessions are in force; and still the revenue mounts up. During the first quarter of the present financial year the increase in railway and tramway revenue is set down at £163,854, and the wisdom of reducing the general burden is being amply justified.

Wire-netting.—With reference to wire-netting orders received since the imposition of duty was notified, the Government has decided to charge purchasers only one-fourth of the Customs duty now payable. Such payments on account of duty will be placed to a trust account, and refunded wholly or in part, according to the decision of the Federal Parliament to reduce or negative the duty proposed.

The Solomons Customs.—His Excellency the Governor has received from Sir Everard im Thurn, High Commissioner for the Western Pacific, copies of a proclamation under the Solomons Customs regulations. The proclamation provides that Gavutu shall cease to be a port of entry, and establishes Tulagi as a port of entry instead, with a Government bonded warehouse at that place for the reception and securing of dutiable goods. The following duties and fees are imposed in respect of dutiable goods landed and stored at Tulagi:—3d for each packet landed and delivered at the Customs House, and 1d per packet for each week that such packet is stored in the bonded warehouse.

The Melbourne Express.—Mr. Austin Chapman, when Postmaster-General, had visions of an arrangement between the Postal Department and the Railway Commissioners, which would result in the running of two express trains daily between Sydney and Melbourne. Mr. Chapman did not succeed in impressing the New South Wales Commissioners with the importance of his scheme, and whether or not the improved service between Albury and Melbourne is due to his influence has not been ascertained. It was stated yesterday by the secretary for railways that the improved service recently announced would be on the Victorian side only, and local business between the border and Melbourne would be accommodated by a local train, which would shorten the journey by express by about half-an-hour. It was not the intention of the New South Wales Commissioners to run a train to fit in with Victoria's local service between Albury and Melbourne

Franco-British Exhibition.—The area to be occupied by New South Wales at the Franco-British Exhibition, to be held in London next year, covers 12,000 square feet, portion of which has already been secured by intending exhibitors. The local commission is energetically working to secure a bold all-round representation of the pastoral, agricultural, and mineral wealth, and manufactures of New South Wales, and a warm response is being made to requests for co-operation and assistance. The commission desires that all the exhibits in the court, as they will go to make up a huge State display, shall be in the form of trophies, and offers from individuals, firms, and companies of such exhibits are being received. The Government will bear all costs of carriage to London and back, and no charge will be made for space. The Intelligence Department is, in conjunction with the local commission, controlling the representation of the State at the exhibition.

Steamers Hampered.—It has been decided to alter the time-table of the Melbourne S.S. Company's steamers to other States. Owing to delays which invariably occur at Newcastle in connection with the loading of bunker and other coal, it has been found impossible to carry out regular sailings. Steamers which usually load in 24 hours frequently are delayed a week and more. For the next two months the regular steamers for Western Australia will make Melbourne their terminal port. This, the manager of the company states, will mean a serious loss to the company, and at the same time inconvenience to Sydney shippers generally. The position at Newcastle, Mr. Reid assures us, is still serious, with no prospect of improvement for some time to come.

Excursion Trains.—The holiday season always brings its crop of complaints against the Railway Department. The Michaelmas holidays and the approach of Eight-hour Day are responsible for a statement that sufficient trains are not provided on the western line. In reply to this the Railway Department points out that excellent services have been provided to meet the requirements of districts to which, as shown by experience, there is likely to be any unusual business. For instance, on Saturday next two morning and three afternoon trains are scheduled to leave the city for western destinations, and two of them will run as far as Bathurst and Orange respectively. The limited traffic to the more distant stations does not warrant the putting on of additional trains, but a very complete service is provided for the tourist and mountain resorts, where considerable patronage can always be relied upon. On Monday next a very good service will be provided from early morning.

Electric Coal-cutting Machines.—In response to a deputation recently, the Minister for Mines (Mr. S. W. Moore) promised to appoint a board to inquire as to the danger or otherwise arising from the use of electric coal-cutting machinery in collieries. At yesterday's meeting of the Cabinet the appointment of a board, consisting of the following gentlemen, was approved:—His Honor District Court Judge Murray (president), Professor David, Mr. G. W. Brain (electrical engineer of the Railway Department), Mr. A. E. O. Sellars (manager of South Bulli and Bellambi colliery), and Mr. James Curley (miners' general secretary). The board will inquire fully into the question, and will visit the coal-mining districts in order to take evidence.

Tyrannical Federation.—Speaking at a conversazione tendered by him to his election committee last evening, Mr. T. Henley, M.L.A., said he had grave apprehensions for the future of Australia under the present tyrannical system of federation. Our seven years' experience had taught us that instead of opening out to us a larger and a freer national life, with a corresponding amount of liberty with the outside world and fraternity between the States, we were developing a political machine propelled by the power of minority rule. Federation had been established on too big and too costly a scale to be of any real and lasting service to the people. The tendency to override and establish dual control in Government services must create friction and loss. This we would do well to avoid by learning our lesson from the past, an reconstructing our Federal system on lines more safe and enduring before vested interests grew to such an extent that public good would be sacrificed rather than a change effected. Australia was too big for any system of central government outside Customs and defence; and because of that he was in favour of reconstruction, by abolishing the Federal Parliament and establishing in its stead a Federal council, with plenary powers to deal with the two items before named. The members of the Federal council could be elected by the State Parliaments in the same ratio as the Federal Parliament was now elected.

Congestion on the Wharfs.—With reference to the difficulties experienced by carriers on the Sydney wharfs, and also at the Sydney goods shed, owing, as alleged, to the want of porters and the lack of officials, it is stated that the staff of porters employed daily at the outward railway goods shed during afternoon hours is about 80, and there are always officers present to control operations. The trouble, however, is to some extent due to the system followed in regard to the despatch of goods from the warehouses. The greater part of the goods arrive after 3.30 p.m., with the result that from that hour till 5 p.m. the business is particularly heavy. Consignors have been pressed to better regulate the loading so that the staff may be able to handle a larger portion of it before the afternoon rush; but so far little success has attended the request of the railway officials.

The Carters' Claims.—The attention of the Arbitration Court yesterday was devoted to the consideration of the claim filed by the Trolly, Draymen, and Carters' Union of Employees for an alteration in the current hours of labour, rates of wages, and other matters of a minor nature. When the counter-proposition submitted by the respondent Master Carriers' Association was compared with the applicants' demands it was apparently found that there was no material difference to exercise the minds of the Bench to any severe extent. The relations of the parties indeed seemed to be on such an amicable basis that a settlement there and then became possible, but Judge Haydon said that the Court would probably deliver its award at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Overcrowding Pleasure Boats.—Now that the boating season is coming on, a correspondent suggests that the authorities should exercise some control over the hiring of boats in Sydney Harbour and Middle Harbour. He points out that last season many small rowing boats were frequently seen overladen beyond the point of safety, and even last Saturday, in Middle Harbour, were seen small boats filled with young people, with no adults to control. Motor boats, too, are frequently overcrowded, and the occupants too venturesome about the Heads and in rough water. This is written hoping to prevent the recording of fatal accidents.

The Mountain Service.—A.G.G. writes:—Last Friday morning the last mountain train was an hour late, owing to an accident on the line, which, it was some consolation afterwards to learn, was "inseparable from railway management." On Saturday last the train leaving Sydney at 1.10 p.m. was close upon two hours reaching Penrith—some 34 miles. No consolatory explanation has so far been offered the travelling public this time. This (Monday) morning the up train was again late. Possibly the Commissioners are anxious to unpopularise the mountains.

Bad Feeling Among Chinese.—For several months bad feeling has existed among a number of the Chinese resident in and around Wexford-street, and the police have had a good deal of trouble in the matter. There have been numerous cases of assault, the weapons used being knives and revolvers. Inspector Roche, who has had the matter under his control, anticipated that things had assumed their normal condition, but there still seems to be a good deal of hatred amongst these people, and the better class of the Chinese residents of the city have endeavoured to put a stop to the outbreaks, but their efforts have so far failed. A disturbance took place as late as Sunday afternoon, when one man was stabbed, and he lies in the hospital in a precarious condition. He himself, it is said, had a revolver on him, but what the row was over has not yet transpired. However, from inquiries made, the police, it appears, discovered some time ago that gambling was the cause of the trouble. There were two sections of gamblers in this neighbourhood. One was known as the Reform Association, who ran fan-tan and pak-a-pu shops, and the other were known as Chinese Freemasons, who had pie-gow shops, where certain games were played with dice and dominos. The police raided these shops, and one section blamed the other, and said they were informers, and were assisting the police. Gradually matters assumed a serious position, and the men armed themselves with revolvers, knives, etc. The end of it was that hostilities commenced in real earnest. Then the police took a hand, and the officers were continually in attendance until the outbreak subsided. Gambling was then discontinued, but the police, finding there were a number of opium dens in the neighbourhood, waited on the landlord of the premises, the City Council, and notices have been served upon the occupants of these places to vacate them. A solution of the difficulty would be for the council to pull the whole of the houses down. The places are not a credit to the neighbourhood.

The Mails.—The Orotava, with English mails for the week ended August 30, arrived at Adelaide yesterday. Mails for the eastern States were despatched by special train at 6.53 in the evening. The delivery of the Sydney portion will be made to-morrow afternoon. The Manuka, with New Zealand mails, will arrive at Sydney to-day.

Stamp Duty.—The amount of duty paid in respect of probates and letters of administration for the week ended September 28 amounted to £16,745 17s 3d. Of this amount the New South Wales estate of the late Ebenezer Way, draper, of England, valued at £126,436, contributed £13,043 16s 2d, and the estate of the late James Tyson, of Riverton, near Hay, grazier, valued at £66,779, contributed £5478 17s 7d.

The October issue of "A.A.A." (All About Australians), which has hitherto been conducted as a monthly journal, comes to us in a new guise. With the current number "A.A.A." has developed into an Australian magazine, and is a creditable production. The contributions, both on the artistic and literary side, are diverse and entertaining in character, special feature being an interesting personal sketch of Mr. William Sandford, the Lithgow ironmaster.

A large assembly met in the Homebush Public School at the breaking-up on Friday evening, to bid goodbye to Mr. M'Donald, who had been head assistant in the school for six years. He was the recipient of several presentations.

The Newcastle and Hunter River S.S. Company, Limited, draw attention in our advertisement columns to the opening of the summer excursions to the Hawkesbury River.

The Railway authorities announce the issue of combined rail and steamer excursion tickets to Nepean River to-morrow.

TO-DAY.

Australian National Defence League: Lantern Entertainment, Manly, 8.
Her Majesty's Theatre: "The Ragged Earl," 8.
Theatre Royal: "Her Love Against the World," 8.
Palace Theatre: "Miss Lancashire, Limited," 8.
Tivoli Theatre: Vaudeville, 8.
Criterion Theatre: "Blumie Herts," 8.
National Amphitheatre: Vaudeville, 8.
Oxford Theatre: Picturescope Company, 8.
Sydney Skating Rink: Prince Alfred Park.
Clay's Vaudeville: Town Hall, Balmain, 8.
Haymarket Hippodrome: 8.
Zoological Gardens: 10 a.m.
Bondi Beach Skating Rink: 10 to 10.
Victoria Hall: Picturescope, 8.
Queen's Hall: London Bio-Tableaux, 8.
Glacierium, George-street West: 10.
Penny-day Concerts: Pitt-street, 7.30.

THE COMMONWEALTH.

TO-DAY'S BUSINESS.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The House of Representatives will meet again at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, and after questions have been disposed of and other formal business transacted the House will go into Committee of Ways and Means to consider the tariff schedules. Sir William Lyne hopes, as soon as the first item—that of sies, etc.—is called on, to make his long-deferred announcement in regard to the Government's new protection scheme, but a doubt has now been raised as to whether the Standing Orders will allow him to do so. The general impression, however, is that the Treasurer will be permitted to outline the Ministry's proposals. Whether members will at this stage be afforded an opportunity of debating the Government's scheme will depend entirely upon the view taken by the Chairman of Committees. The Senate will not reassemble until Wednesday afternoon.

THE BRITISH MAIL CONTRACT.

Tenders for the New English mail contract close at 4 p.m. on Thursday. The Postmaster-General anticipates good competition. Up to the present no tenders have been sent in to the department.

THE NEW DOMINION.

The Prime Minister (Mr. Deakin) has received the following telegram from the Premier of New Zealand, Sir Joseph Ward:—"New Zealand heartily thanks the Commonwealth for its congratulations and kindly message, and highly appreciates your good wishes for her future career. Glad to see you are again at the helm, and hope fully restored to good health."

RAILWAYS AND POST OFFICE.

At a conference with the Postal Department in regard to the rates charged for the conveyance of mails on railways, the Commissioners will be represented by Mr. Tait and Mr. Hudson, of Victoria, and Mr. Johnson, of New South Wales.

PERSONAL.

VICE-REGAL.

His Excellency the Governor and Miss Rawson, attended by Captain Wilson, A.D.C., were present last evening at Professor Leacock's lecture at the University.

Mr. T. Henley, M.L.A., entertained his election committee at a conversazione at Correy's Gardens last night. There was a large attendance, many of the aldermen of the electorate being among those present.

Mr. Arthur Grainger, of Singleton, has been sworn a justice of the peace for Victoria.

Mrs. Read, the widow of the Rev. R. J. Read, died at Medlow Bath yesterday afternoon. The deceased lady was well known on the mountains for philanthropic and church work.

The Australian Mortgage, Land, and Finance Company, Limited, has received advice of the death on Friday last of Mr. Robert Bruce Ronald, formerly one of their directors and a founder of the company, and one of Australia's oldest pioneer squatters. Mr. Ronald, who had been resident in England for a number of years, had been in failing health for some time.

The well-known Sydney cricketer, J. R. M. Mackay, leaves for Melbourne to-day by the Wyandra to take up his new position as organiser of country cricket in connection with the Melbourne club. It will be remembered that when in South Africa he met with a severe accident; he was run into by a motor bicycle. For 14 days he was unconscious, and for three days in a semi-conscious state. He was ill for a long time, and has just returned after spending a few weeks with his relatives at Uralla. He says there is nothing the matter with him now; it is only a question of nerves.

Mr. H. O. Kilminster, whose interment took place last Thursday at Manly, belonged to a family connected with that suburb at a time when the greater part of its area was bush land, and only one steamer, the Phantom, plied daily to the metropolis. He afterwards engaged in business at Lambton, and was well respected. The funeral service was read by the Rev. Ainslie A. Yeates, of Waitsend.

The death occurred at Pomingalarna station, near Wagga, on Saturday evening, of Mr. Angus Mackay, an old and highly-respected resident of the Wagga district. Deceased went to the district about 40 years ago, and assumed the management of Tooyal station for Mr. Abraham Booth. Shortly afterwards Mr. Booth acquired Gobbagumbalin, and the deceased gentleman assumed control of both properties. In 1884, in conjunction with Mr. David Copland, of Wagga, Mr. Mackay acquired Pomingarlarna, and maintained an active interest in the station until a few months ago, when he was seized with rheumatic gout. This complaint led to heart seizure, and ultimately resulted in death. The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon, the remains being interred in the family enclosure in the Presbyterian portion of the Wagga cemetery. Mr. Mackay was born at Sutherland, Scotland, in 1833. He landed in Australia in the early fifties, and settled for a year or two in the Goulburn district. A little while later the gold fever seized him, and he visited Kiandra, Lambing Flat, and Ararat (Victoria) goldfields. From Ararat deceased came to the Wagga district. Mr. Mackay leaves three grown-up children.

Mr. Edward Ings, for many years sub-editor of the Hobart "Mercury," died at Hobart on Sunday night.

WILLS.

THE LATE MR. J. TYSON.

By his will, dated April 7, 1904, the late Mr. James Tyson, of Riverton, near Hay, grazier, who died on March 27 last, appointed the Perpetual Trustee Company, Limited, his executors and trustees, and by a codicil he appointed James Thompson, of Hay, bank manager, and William Cope, of Castlereagh-street, solicitor, to act in conjunction with the Trustee Company. Testator directed his trustees to dispose of the residue of his personal estate and effects upon trust to sell, call in, collect, and convert the same into money as speedily as possible after his death, and set apart the income of £3000 for the maintenance of his wife, Jane Georgina Tyson, and after her death to allow the trust moneys to become part of the general residue of the personal estate. Of the ultimate surplus of testator's residuary personal estate and effects one equal moiety is to be held in trust for all or any of his sons or son who shall attain the age of 21 years, and, if more than one, in equal shares. The other moiety is to be held in trust for his daughters who might attain the age of 21 years or marry before that age with the consent of her guardians, to hold as tenants in common. Provision is also made for the issue of any of the daughters who might marry; and by his codicil testator left some small legacies to various persons. For purposes of probate the estate was valued at £66,779.

THE LATE MR. T. T. T. LAWRY.

By his will the late Tom Terry Trewyn Lawry, of Kirribilli, North Sydney, appointed George Collie Phillips, of North Sydney, merchant, and Henry Massey Makinson, of Sydney, solicitor, his executors and trustees. Testator devised his furniture and effects to his sister, Esther Mary Trewyn Plunkett, for life, and after her death to Miss Laura Lamont for life. His boats and motor launches he bequeathed to his friends, George C. Phillips and William Melville Paul. The residue of his real and personal estate is left to his trustees in trust to pay Miss Leslie Harris, of Brisbane, £1000, and £200 per annum out of the income of the estate to Miss Laura Lamont. The balance of the income derivable from the estate testator leaves to his sister already named, and after her death to Miss Laura Lamont. He also directed his trustees to divide his real and personal estate into two equal shares, one to be assigned upon trust to his aunt, Anne Elisabeth Patrick, if she survive him, and his sister and Miss Laura Lamont; and, if not, then to her children and remoter issue, in equal shares. The other share is left to his aunt, Henrietta Russell, upon similar terms. The estate for purposes of probate was valued at £43,304.

THE COAL VEND.

OWNERS AND MINERS PROTECTED.

"A NATURAL SAFEGUARD."

MR. E. P. SIMPSON INTERVIEWED.

"Much can be said in justification of the existence of the Northern Coal Vend," remarked Mr. E. P. Simpson, the chairman of the Stockton Coal Company, yesterday. "It is an institution which gives satisfaction to those who hew the coal, as well as to those who sell it. For ten years and over," he went on, "the miners of the northern district have carried on an agitation to bring the proprietors together, and thus avoid the cut-throat competition which was going on amongst them. The miners lost by this competition, because of their wages rising and falling according to the selling price. It was only by the proprietors being united that at about this time last year a great crisis was averted in the Newca district. They were then able to guarantee what did take place—an advance of 1s per ton on the selling

FLOODS IN SOUTH EUROPE.

DEVASTATION IN FRANCE.

THOUSANDS HOMELESS.

GREAT LOSS OF LIFE FEARED.

LONDON, Sept. 30.

Torrential rains in the south of France have swollen the rivers, causing terrible floods in the departments of Herault, Gard, Bouches du Rhone, Vaucluse, and Var. Traffic is entirely suspended in parts and is greatly interrupted elsewhere.

The Rhone is still rising fast, and many people, being cut off by the flood waters, are imprisoned in their homes. Beziers and Agde, in Herault, are suffering from lack of food. The salvage corps has rescued many by means of boats and pontoons. It is feared that there were many deaths.

It is computed that 110,000,000 gallons of wine have been lost in Herault alone. Two thousand grape pickers of Agde are homeless on the plain.

At Florensac the floods were so sudden that numbers of wine-growers had barely time to escape.

President Fallieres and three Cabinet Ministers are hastening to the south.

RUIN IN SPAIN.

WHOLE VILLAGES SWEPT AWAY.

LONDON, Sept. 29.

A terrible flood has occurred at Malaga, Southern Spain, 12,000 people having been rendered homeless. Twelve villages were destroyed, and 108 persons perished.

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The floods in Malaga have occasioned damage to the extent of £680,000.

DUTIES OF NEUTRALS.

LIMITED SUPPLIES TO BELLIGERENTS.

LONDON, Sept. 30.

The third committee of the International Conference at the Hague has approved of a convention dealing with the rights and duties of neutrals during a maritime war. The convention provides that the warships of a belligerent cannot revictual at neutral ports except to complete what would be their normal supplies in time of peace, and can only obtain sufficient fuel to reach the nearest port of their own country.

Germany and Russia oppose the stay of a belligerent warship in a port of a neutral being limited to 24 hours.

AN IMPOSSIBLE PRIZE COURT.

The "Times" writes that it is impossible for Great Britain to ratify the proposed convention creating an International Prize Court, because it will enable foreigners to make laws for our fleet and shorten our power on the seas.

RIOT AT BELGRADE.

SYMPATHY WITH ANTI-REGICIDES.

SUICIDE OF PRISONERS.

LONDON, Sept. 30.

Novakovics, editor of an anti-regicide journal at Belgrade, Servia, and an anti-regicide officer, who were long imprisoned on a minor charge without trial, commenced firing rifles out of the gaol, in order to arouse the populace. After wounding two gendarmes the prisoners committed suicide.

Workmen and students created disturbances in the streets in sympathy with the two prisoners. The workmen wounded several gendarmes, and made such a riot that the patrol was compelled to use weapons to clear the streets.

Novakovics was offered his liberty if he would cease attacking the dynasty, but he refused.

A CARDINAL'S WARNING.

AGAINST ENGLISH SOCIALISTS.

LONDON, Sept. 30.

Cardinal Logue, Archbishop of Armagh, speaking at Derry, warned Irishmen against an alliance with English socialists.

On inquiry at St. Mary's Presbytery last night it was stated that Cardinal Logue meant anarchists when he referred to English socialists, as it was only on those lines that he would speak of them. As far as Labour was concerned, our informant added, the Irish Labour party was the same as the Australian Labour party; there was no difference whatever. It was also affirmed that Cardinal Logue spoke with authority, and was known to be altogether in sympathy with the people.

SEDITION IN INDIA.

LEADING BARRISTER ARRESTED.

LONDON, Sept. 29.

A sensation has been caused at Calcutta by the arrest of Mr. A. C. Bannerjee, a leading barrister, for making seditious speeches.

THE AMERICA CUP.

YACHTSMEN'S RESENTMENT.

NEW TROPHY PROPOSED.

LONDON, Sept. 29.

Yachtsmen in America resent the New York Club's decision in regard to Sir Thomas Lipton's challenge.

A syndicate is being organised at Boston for the purpose of offering a new cup, for which it is proposed to race Sir Thomas Lipton under international rules with any kind of boat he chooses.

GOOLD'S EXAMINATION CONCLUDED.

LONDON, Sept. 28.

The magisterial examination of the Gooids at Monte Carlo has been concluded.

PRICE OF EXPLOSIVES.

LONDON, Sept. 29.

Nobel's Company, Glasgow, has agreed with English and Continental makers to raise the price of explosives 25 per cent.

COMEDY ENDS IN TRAGEDY.

A FATAL FROLIC.

LONDON, Sept. 29.

Prince Carl of Thurn-und-Taxis, in larking with other officers at Potsdam, broke his neck by a fall from banisters down which he was sliding.

RUSSIANS INDIFFERENT.

THE DUMA ELECTIONS.

LONDON, Sept. 30.

Electors at Moscow and St. Petersburg display a remarkable apathy in the elections of delegates to choose the members for the Duma. In many centres the voters were insufficient to justify elections. In one district only five out of 1480 electors voted.

Opposition candidates chiefly have been returned.

DECEPTION OF TROOPS.

TWO OFFICERS WOUNDED.

Three men, disguised in officers' uniforms, rushed into the barracks of the Brest Regiment at Sebastopol, shouting to the battalion on duty that the commander of the regiment had been killed and the officers made prisoners, and they implored the soldiers to rescue them. The commander of the battalion shouted: "These men are impostors." The three strangers immediately fired, wounding the commander and another officer, and then escaped, pretending that they were pursuing the persons who fired.

SULLIVAN V. SQUIRES.

AUSTRALIAN DEFEATED.

PUNISHED BADLY THROUGHOUT.

LONDON, Sept. 29.

Jack (Twin) Sullivan knocked out W. Squires, the Australian champion heavyweight, in the nineteenth round in a match at San Francisco.

Squires was badly punished throughout.

It was thought that in the contest just decided Squires would win back some of the reputation he lost in the engagement with Burns. He got a particularly severe handling by the American press for presuming to aspire to world's championship honours, and after his quick knock-out by Burns he retired for a while, and when the unkind things said of him had blown over he sought fresh fields, and went for easier game, but he has again failed. Sullivan was ahead of Australian boxers. He is a twin-brother of "Mike" Sullivan. The man who has just defeated Squires, the Australian, is 5ft 9in, and first fought as a middle-weight, and now is a heavy-weight. Over two years ago he met Burns, the champion of the world, and after a 20-rounds contest the result was a draw. They again met a few months later, and this time Sullivan was declared the winner on points after 20 rounds. Then Sullivan defeated Schreck, also on points, and later on he scored a success over Palmer.

RIVAL SULTANS.

UPSTART LOSING INFLUENCE.

LONDON, Sept. 30.

Mulai-el-Hafid, who is acknowledged Sultan of Southern Morocco, is freely confiscating the property of the wealthy Moors and Jews in order to pay his troops, who threaten to desert. The influence of Mulai-el-Hafid has been declining since the arrival of the Sultan, Abdul Aziz, at Rabat, on the west coast, to the north of Casablanca.

TRIBES SUBMIT TO FRENCH.

LONDON, Sept. 29.

General Drude, commanding the Franco-Spanish land forces at Casablanca, reports that four out of ten tribes in the vicinity have fully submitted.

ANGLO-RUSSIAN CONVENTION.

APPLAUDED IN JAPAN.

INDIAN PRESS DIVIDED.

LONDON, Sept. 30.

Calcutta newspapers generally approve of the terms of the Anglo-Russian convention, but Bombay newspapers condemn the treaty. The native press of India is silent on the subject.

Newspapers of Japan applaud the convention, and declare that it secures the peace of the world for years.

WARM-WATER PORT FOR RUSSIA.

THE COMPENSATION SOUGHT.

LONDON, Sept. 29.

The "Russ," of St. Petersburg, hints that since Russia has definitely abandoned all idea of an outlet towards the Indian Ocean compensation for this painful renunciation is likely to be given at a future convention with Great Britain concerning the near East and the Straits of Constantinople.

CARE OF A PRINCESS.

KING OF SAXONY WANTS HIS DAUGHTER.

LONDON, Sept. 30.

Signor Toselli and his wife, Countess of Montignoso, ex-Crown Princess of Saxony, are staying at an hotel at Viesole, Tuscany. Detectives in the employ of the King of Saxony, former husband of the countess, are trying to obtain the surrender of her daughter, the Princess Monica, now 4 years old, who was born a few months after the divorce, and whom the King of Saxony acknowledges. The Princess is with her mother. Carabineers guard the hotel.

MANCHU PRIVILEGES ABROGATED.

DISBANDING OF GARRISONS.

LONDON, Sept. 30.

Owing to the influence of Yuan-shi-kai, Viceroy of the Metropolitan Province of Chi-li, the Manchu garrisons throughout China are to be disbanded and deprived of their special privileges. This is considered an important step in eradicating racial jealousy.

The disbandment of the Manchu garrisons follows upon a decree of the Empress Dowager issued to all viceroys throughout the Empire, asking for suggestions from them as to the best means of doing away with racial jealousy. The decree stated what everybody knows to be untrue, that for over two hundred years there has never been any jealousies between Manchus and Chinese, that no distinctions have been made between the two races, and that men have been appointed according to abilities shown. When the first Emperor of the present dynasty began to rule China he stationed in the capital of the most important provinces of the Empire large bodies of Manchu troops to serve as permanent garrisons and to enforce the Manchu rule. These Manchu, or Banner, troops brought their families with them, and their descendants reside to this day in the cities first garrisoned by their ancestors nearly 250 years ago. Each of these Manchu garrisons, which is now under General or Lieutenant-General. With no proposed to abolish, is commanded by a T[illegible] training, they are practically useless, yet their upkeep amounts to £1,500,000 a year.

RAILWAY DISASTERS.

AMERICAN EXPRESS COLLISION.

LONDON, Sept. 30.

The Chicago express came into collision with a freight train on the Baltimore-Ohio railway, owing to a mistake of a pointsman. Fifteen people were killed, and 20 others were injured.

COLLISION IN WALES.

MARVELLOUS ESCAPES.

An express to Cardiff came into collision with a mineral train at Newport on Saturday, owing to a mistake in the working of the signals. The driver of the mineral train was killed. Though the carriages of the express train were piled one on top of another only eight passengers were injured. The escapes are considered to be marvellous.

AUSTRALIAN TARIFF.

SEEKING THE CAUSE.

LONDON, Sept. 30.

The "Pall Mall Gazette," referring to the Australian tariff, says that since British Ministers showed the colonies that the United Kingdom is entirely self-centred it is most natural that Australia when rebuffed should give an exclusive eye to her supposed interests. The situation is discouraging to British merchants and wage-earners, but Australia is blameless in the matter.

MODERNISM.

THE CENSOR AT WORK.

LONDON, Sept. 30.

Many diocesan councils have already been appointed in Italy to censor literature, in accordance with the Pope's encyclical condemning modernism.

The Pope in his encyclical stated that modernism is dangerous in philosophy, faith, theology, and history, that it is the synthesis of all heresy and must lead to atheism. The encyclical ordained the removal of modernist professors from Roman Catholic colleges, and the adoption of other safeguards against modernism.

BISHOP OF LONDON IN AMERICA.

A ROYAL RECEPTION.

LONDON, Sept. 29.

The Right Rev. Dr. Winnington-Ingram, Bishop of London, is meeting with a royal reception in New York. He preached a bold sermon to millionaires in a church in Wall-street district.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

OBITUARY.

LONDON, Sept. 30.

The death is announced of Frederick, Grand Duke of Baden, aged 81 years.

[The late Grand Duke of Baden, on the death of his father in 1852, became Regent for his elder brother, and four years later assumed the title of Grand Duke. In the war of 1866 he sided with Austria, but soon made his peace with Prussia. He is survived by his wife, Princess Louise of Prussia, aunt of the German Emperor. Prince Frederick, his son, who is 50 years of age, succeeded to the Grand Dukedom.]

BILLIARDS.

Weiss made 7000 against Roberts's 6296 on an oval billiard table at the National Sporting Club. The largest break made by Roberts was 158. The remarkable play of Weiss is attracting much attention. The new table has been approved. The match is for 14,000 up.

[Players have found it difficult to play on the new oval table, which was originally designed to do away with the anchor stroke. The Billiard Association has, however, dealt with the anchor stroke by barring it. That scoring is difficult on the new table is shown by the fact that in a recent match between Reece and Diggle three hours were occupied in a match of 500. It will, however, strike most people that the ordinary game of billiards is quite difficult enough without looking for fresh trouble.]

LORD MAYOR OF LONDON.

Alderman Sir John Charles Bell, Sheriff of the City of London, has been elected to succeed Sir W. P. Treloar as Lord Mayor of London.

[The Lord Mayor elect of London is chairman and managing director of the Wenlock Brewing Company. He has been a member of the council since 1882, and an alderman since 1894.]

ABSCONDING BANK CASHIER.

M. Loyson, cashier in a bank at Brussels, has absconded with 300,000 francs (£12,000).

A TERRIBLE DEATH.

DRAGGED BY A BOLTING HORSE.

WELLINGTON, Monday.

A terrible accident, resulting fatally, occurred last Friday on Mr. C. G. Scott's farm, a few miles from Wellington. An old man named James Primmer was attending some horses when a mare he was minding suddenly became restless. Primmer was holding her by a rein with a loop, the end of which somehow became entwined round his leg, and he was pulled off his balance. The animal then bolted, dragging the unfortunate man over rocky ground, and occasionally kicking him.

He sustained compound fractures of both legs, and fracture of the skull, besides minor injuries. A witness to the ghastly scene was Primmer's son, George, who is manager of the property. Medical assistance was soon obtained from Wellington, but the case was hopeless from the first, and the unfortunate old man died early the same evening.

SHORTAGE OF LABOUR ON THE BARRIER.

BROKEN HILL, Monday.

Speaking of the shortage of labour on the mines, Mr. Wainwright, general manager of the South Mine, said this afternoon that his mine was still short of navvies for open-cut work. The A.M.A. had been communicated with, as it was said it had a large number of unemployed on its books, and asked to send along 20 men. The communication was sent to the association early last week, but up to the present only one man had been sent along. "So much," said Mr. Wainwright, "for the scarcity of unskilled labour in Broken Hill." Mr. Wainwright added he had also asked for men for underground mullocking. Sixteen men were sent to the mine, of whom three declined to take on the work, after being engaged, while five others left after working two days. Most of the mines continue to complain of the shortage of trucks to take away mine products, and are afraid of the probable position when the South Australian season starts.

REPLACING TELEPHONES.

PROTEST FROM MURWILLUMBAH.

MURWILLUMBAH, Monday.

Much indignation has been expressed at the action of the Postal Department in asking business people burned out by the fire to replace telephone instruments at their own expense. The local postmaster to-day sent a letter to subscribers stating that the cost of replacing instruments would be £3 2s 9d, in addition to the cost of poles and wires burned, which would have to be proportionately borne by the victims of the fire. The demand is considered monstrous in the face of the recent calamity, and the fortitude with which it was met by the townspeople. After a vote of sympathy from the House of Representatives, this imposition of expense by the Commonwealth Government looks anything but sympathetic.

MINISTERIAL CRISIS.

RETIREMENT OF THE PREMIER.

MR. CARRUTHERS' HEALTH BREAKS DOWN.

MR. WADE TO BE SENT FOR.

The breakdown of the Premier's health has proved so serious that at a late hour last night he tendered his resignation of the Premiership. This, of course, involves the retirement of the whole Ministry, and the arrangements for the reconstruction of the Cabinet fall to the ground. Mr. Carruthers' resignation will be forwarded to his Excellency the Governor to-day. It is understood that as a result of the advice the retiring Premier offers to his Excellency the Governor, Sir Harry Rawson will invite Mr. C. G. Wade, Attorney-General, to undertake the task of forming a Ministry.

It is rather remarkable that when the Cabinet met at 2.30 p.m. yesterday there was no suggestion of the Premier's resignation. Ministers continued to debate the situation till about 6 o'clock, when an adjournment was made for dinner. Neither the Chief Secretary (Mr. Waddell) nor the Attorney-General (Mr. Wade) had then anything to say regarding either the reconstruction of the Cabinet or the work of the Cabinet. The arrangement for Ministers to meet after dinner was kept a profound secret, and it was evident from the secrecy observed by every Minister that a grave situation had arisen in connection with the reconstruction of the Cabinet. Mr. Hogue was despatched to Kogarah to interview the Premier, and the Cabinet awaited his return patiently till 9 p.m. After that frequent telephonic messages passed between the Treasury and the Premier's residence, and a motor car was kept busy running errands. Eventually, about 10.30 p.m., Mr. Ashton, the retiring Minister for Lands, arrived by motor car, and shortly after 11 o'clock the Cabinet disbanded.

Mr. Wade, Attorney-General, remained to make a statement to representatives of the press.

STATEMENT BY MR. WADE.

Speaking on behalf of his colleagues, Mr. Wade said: The Premier's health has given way at last under the strain put upon it, and he has been compelled to send in his resignation. He advised us to this effect during the evening. That is all I can say at present. But I may use the opportunity of saying this is another case of a man with a constitution once robust being fairly worn out by his loyal sense of public duty. None but those who have been in close contact with Mr. Carruthers have the least idea of the amount of work he put into the election campaign. He supervised all the details of organisation at headquarters, kept in close touch with the progress of the fight in each electorate, was constantly moving about the country delivering fighting speeches in electorates where the Liberal candidate most needed support. He lived at this pressure for a month or six weeks, and this on top of the strain and stress involved in the leadership of the last Parliament has now told its tale. All that I can say is that the country is distinctly poorer through his resignation; and as time goes on the public will realise more fully his great achievements as a Parliamentary leader, and the solid work he has done in legislation and administration during the last three years. I earnestly hope that the rest which has been forced upon him will be the means of restoring his shattered health, and that both Parliament and the country will again have the benefit of his loyal services.

THE CONFLICT OF INTERESTS.

It is believed, apart from official statements, that Mr. Carruthers was prompted to take the extreme course owing to difficulties in connection with the reconstruction of the Cabinet. The tentative scheme of reorganisation put forward last week was keenly resented in political circles as an unusual method of ascertaining public feeling on the proposals. Those members whose names were mentioned as those of probable Ministers objected to being used for such a purpose, and there is no doubt that considerable friction resulted. It is understood that arrangements had been completed before an absolute deadlock was reached whereby Mr. Hogue would retain the portfolio of Public Instruction, and Mr. C. W. Oakes was content to accept an honorary position in the Cabinet. Mr. Oakes attended the meeting at the Treasury yesterday, but retired early in the afternoon. The real difficulty arose in connection with the Lands Department and the Mines Department. The Premier had announced that Mr. S. W. Moore would be transferred from the Department of Mines to succeed Mr. Ashton as Minister for Lands, and that Mr. Wood, Chairman of Committees, would probably become Minister for Mines and Labour. Mr. Wood had certainly been consulted as to whether or not he would join the Cabinet, and there is no doubt that he would have been prepared to throw in his lot with the Ministry if he could have secured the portfolio of Lands. It is known that he holds strong views concerning the administration of the Lands Department, and combines with those views a particularly intimate knowledge of the land laws. Whether or not the Premier declined to consider him as the prospective Minister for Lands and so precipitated a crisis will probably never be known, but it is very likely indeed that the difficulties which were encountered in re-shaping the Cabinet formed a big factor in determining the Premier, in the present unsatisfactory state of his health, to retire from the leadership of the Government. Whatever the combination of causes which led up to the retirement of the Ministry, Mr. Carruthers' determination will come as a great surprise to the members of the Liberal party in Parliament, and his resignation will cause the keenest regret to those who looked to him to carry through to completion the party's programme upon which the recent elections were fought with so much success.

THE STRAIN OF LEADERSHIP.

There can be no doubt that in fighting the general elections Mr. Carruthers subjected himself to a tremendous strain, and that the opposition and heckling to which he was from time to time subjected told heavily upon him. Speeches such as those delivered by him at Young and Wagga racked his voice to pieces, and were followed by sleepless nights. In each centre visited there were receptions and deputations, and interviews to be attended to, followed at night by a set speech, and a few hours' sleep in a railway car, as the Premier was hurried along to his next "engagement." He never spared himself, and made a point of seeing for himself that everything necessary to the successful carrying on of the campaign had been provided for. All through he was buoyed up by the hope that the country was with him, and that his work during the last three years had met with public approval. It was a great disappointment to him that the public response to his appeal was so poor, and he felt discouraged accordingly. A good working majority, however, was assured to him, and he looked forward with confidence to the coming session. With broken health the whole outlook changed. Mr. Carruthers will in all probability take a long holiday, and then divide his time between his profession and his station property at Manildra, where his fondness for the life of a practical farmer has for some years been indulged.

THE NEW CABINET.

Though quite unprepared, in the face of the unexpected developments to say anything of the future, it is understood that Mr. Wade will include in his Cabinet all his old colleagues. He will, however, be faced with the same difficulty as presented itself to Mr. Carruthers in connection with filling the chair in the Lands Department with a man who combines with a wide knowledge of the land laws the necessary capacity of administering them with discretion. It has come home with remarkable force to every member of the Ministry that the proposal to place the Lands Department under commission is extremely unpopular in Parliament, and it is hinted that Mr. Ashton's retirement was in some degree the result of the pronounced feeling in this direction, coupled with the determination of the Cabinet to give effect to Mr. Justice Owen's recommendations. The whole proposals for the reorganisation of the departments and the rearrangement of portfolios, of course, goes by the board under the altered circumstances. Mr. Hogue may go back to the Chief Secretary's Department temporarily, in which event Mr. Oakes will become Minister for Education. Mr. Moore will in all probability take the portfolio of Minister for Lands, and it is possible that Mr. Cohen may be offered the chair at the Mines Department. Mr. Wade will probably combine the Premiership with the position of Attorney-General, and the remaining seats in the Cabinet will most likely be left as they were.

PARLIAMENT WILL MEET.

According to the law Parliament must meet within a given period after the general elections, and for that reason the new Parliament will meet to-morrow, as arranged. It is probable, however, that in the extraordinary circumstances nothing but purely formal matters, such as the opening ceremony, the swearing in of members, and the election of Speaker, will be proceeded with, and that then the new Premier will ask for an adjournment for a week to enable the Government to draw up its programme. The Governor's Speech need not be widely different from that which would have been presented had Mr. Carruthers retained the Premiership, but it is understood that the reconstruction negotiations have interfered with the framing of the programme, and that it is not ready for Executive approval. On Wednesday both Houses will probably adjourn till noon on Tuesday of the following week, when his Excellency the Governor will open the session, and read the vice-regal speech.

THE RETIRING PREMIER.

It would be hard to find in Australian political history a counterpart for the retiring Premier. During the three years he has been at the head of the Government he has proved himself a politician of the most aggressive type, often impetuous in his decisions, but carrying them into effect with a determination that has been a revelation to his opponents. Such measures as the Local Government Act, the Liquor Act, and the Gaming and Betting Act, dealing with subjects which many preceding Governments put aside as impossible of achievement, stand as monuments to his tenacity in dealing with difficult questions and overcoming difficult situations. The same resolute purpose enabled him to grapple with the financial situation at a time when the finances were in a deplorable state and the public credit at a most unsatisfactory point. The wire netting episode of a few weeks ago was another instance of his capacity for resolute and impetuous action in a situation which would have deterred most men in his position. Wanting in that magnetism which usually makes leaders of men, and with no remarkable amount of tact in dealing with either political friends or political foes, Mr. Carruthers, by sheer force of character, constituted himself a leader, and proved his capacity for leading by his acts of legislation and administration. Aided by a striking power of initiative, he was able by his very determination of purpose, to break down opposition and keep his party together. It is nearly 21 years since he first represented Canterbury—of which St. George forms a part—in the Legislative Assembly. He was returned at each general election from 1887 till 1891 for Canterbury, and when, under the Redistribution of Seats Act, the electorate was subdivided, he selected the St. George division, and has continued to represent the constituency ever since. Sir Henry Parkes soon picked him out as a man of more than ordinary ability, and in 1889, less than two years after his entry into politics, he became Minister for Public Instruction. He continued to preside over that department till June, 1891, when the dissolution took place, and as a result of the general election the Dibbs Government came into power. When Mr. Reid formed his first Government in 1894 he selected Mr. Carruthers as Minister for Lands, and during his term of office, which extended till July, 1898, he displayed a great amount of administrative ability in dealing with the land laws. In 1899 Mr. Carruthers became Colonial Secretary in the Reid Government, but retired with the Ministry on September 12 of the same year. Then came the Lyne-See-Waddell Governments, with Mr. Carruthers in opposition. He followed Mr. Reid loyally till the ex-Premier sought a wider field for his abilities in Federal politics, and Mr. Lee, now Minister for Works, became leader of the Opposition. Mr. Carruthers took up the role of leader of a cave of the Opposition, and in course of time the party he gathered around him was sufficient to place him at the head of the direct Opposition. The elections of 1904 left the Waddell Ministry in a minority, and in the natural order of things Mr. Carruthers was sent for to form his first Cabinet. How he did so and the manner in which he carried out his programme during the last Parliament are matters of such recent history as not to need recounting. With a bare majority in a full House he succeeded, as probably no other leader would have done, in passing some of the most drastic legislative reforms ever attempted by any Ministry. The appreciation of his efforts in that direction was expressed by the people at the general election held a few weeks ago, when he returned from the country with a substantial majority in the Legislative Assembly.

TAX ON AMUSEMENTS.

PROPOSAL ADVERSELY CRITICISED.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

Mr. Bent's proposal to place a tax on amusements has been strongly criticised by Major Wardill, secretary of the Melbourne Cricket Club. He expressed the opinion that it would be a poor policy to tax sport. Not even the wealthiest clubs had any credit balances, and the poor ones had always a great deal of trouble to keep their heads above water. The public would not pay the extra amount. It would simply mean an additional charge on the resources of the clubs, and as such would exercise a detrimental influence. The only way the Melbourne Cricket Club could meet the tax would be to reduce expenses by putting off some of the men permanently employed.

Mr. George Tallis, a well-known theatrical manager, said he and others engaged in theatrical undertakings could see no justice in a special tax on amusement. If the public had to pay the tax it would mean that fewer people would attend, and returns would fall off. If it fell directly on theatrical firms a serious burden would be imposed on the business, which had already to encounter considerable difficulties and to take great risks. If amusements were to be singled out for special taxation a better plan would be to license all places of entertainment, including town halls. As much could be realised in that way, and it would fall more equitably.

STATE REVENUE.

CONTINUED BUOYANCY.

HEAVY RAILWAYS AND CUSTOMS RECEIPTS.

A Treasury return has been issued which shows that the net revenue receipts of the State for last month totalled £1,046,784, an increase of £135,077 over those of the corresponding month of last year. The figures for the first quarter of the current financial year aggregate £3,252,522, an increase of £390,784. Detail of the revenue for the quarter under each heading compare with those for the corresponding quarter last year as follow:—

Head of Revenue or Receipt.	Quarter ended Sep. 30, 1906.	Quarter ended Sep. 30, 1907.	Dec.	Inc.
	£	£	£	£
Revenue Proper.				
Commonwealth returns	773,685	980,200	—	232,516
Stamps	175,051	179,849	—	3,998
Land tax	4,414	3,539	875	—
Income tax	21,620	24,574	—	2,953
Licenses	15,782	15,756	151	—
Land revenue	373,197	390,756	—	17,559
Mint receipts	5,091	7,691	2,400	5
Fees for assent of gold	71	76	—	
Pilotage, harbour dues, etc	22,290	28,205	—	5,915
Agricultural colleges, etc	3,602	3,806	194	—
Rents	54,838	25,662	29,075	—
Rents—exclusive of land	8,834	8,340	235	906
Fines and forfeitures	4,197	5,103	—	—
Miscellaneous services	15,101	14,673	428	—
Country towns, W. S., interest	2,988	5,967	—	2,979
Country towns, sewerage, interest	266	265	21	—
Superannuation Act	3,150	2,208	942	—
Water rights receipts	75	82	—	7
Church and school lands	229	144	85	—
Advances to Settlers' Board	4,948	—	4,948	—
Darling Harbour resumptions	11,728	10,872	856	—
Centenary Park land sales	—	—	—	—
Unclassified receipts	55,870	83,183	—	27,313
Total	1,553,971	1,707,200		
Less refunds	20,078	21,900		
Net	1,404,700	1,785,480		
Business Undertakings.				
Railways and tramways	1,192,813	1,357,467	—	168,654
Sydney Harbour Trust	70,629	78,140	—	7,511
Metropolitan water rates	50,685	51,751	7,944	—
Metropolitan sewerage	47,687	40,666	6,021	—
Hunter district water rates	12,441	9,875	3,066	—
Total	1,374,025	1,537,799		
Less refunds	17,180	20,716		
Net	1,356,945	1,517,083		
			56,446	145,618
Gross totals	2,917,096	3,305,183		397,172
Total net revenue and receipts proper	2,761,788	3,152,572		390,784

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The revenue for the first quarter of the financial year amounted to £2,000,070, as compared with £1,890,363 for the corresponding period in 1906.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

The State revenue returns were issued from the Treasury to-night. They show great buoyancy in all the leading lines, excepting probate and succession duties, in which appears a decrease of nearly £9000. Railways increased by £97,000; land and income tax by £7000; territorial by over £11,000; and contributions returned by Commonwealth by £57,812. The total increase on the corresponding quarter of last year was £173,000, which came within £500 of one-fourth of the year's total estimated receipts, which is unusual for a September return.

AN OLD MURDER REVIVED.

STRANGE CASE AT GLEN INNES.

"GIVE MYSELF UP TO JUSTICE."

ACCUSED REMANDED TO QUEENSLAND.

GLEN INNES, Monday.

At the police court to-day, before Messrs. J. Priest, T. Keating, and M. Alcock, J.s.p., William Reilly was charged with being a person believed to be insane and wandering at large.

Wm. Wrigley said the accused had been under observation for the past fortnight. He could not see any symptoms of insanity. Accused had made various statements, which he believed to be correct, and he recommended that the accused be discharged on the charge of insanity.

Wm. Henry Wearin stated that on the 9th instant accused came to the courthouse. He appeared excited, and made statements which he considered illusory. He arrested him on a charge of being insane.

The accused was discharged. An order was made for the payment of £2 2s for medical fees out of £11 cash he had in his possession.

Wm. Reilly was released, and again arrested by Constable Wearin on a charge that he did in August, 1894, unlawfully set fire to a woolshed at Coongoola.

Wm. H. Wearin, a police constable, said he had that morning arrested accused on a warrant dated September 21, 1907, under the hand of Mr. A. Darcy, J.P., of Cunnamulla. He was arrested under the Fugitive Offenders Act on the 9th instant. Accused came to the courthouse, Glen Innes, and said, "I wish to give myself up to justice." Witness took him to the police office, and asked him what he had to say. He said his name was William Reilly, but he had been going under the name of William Day. About 1894 or 1895 he said he burned the woolshed on Coongoola station, near Cunnamulla, and afterwards about 7 miles from Coongoola a woolshed near a fence at White's selection. He struck down a man named Marter and killed him. He said he was tried at Cunnamulla and discharged for lack of evidence. After he was discharged he came back and took the body out of the cave where he had placed it, and burned it. Witness said, "Is this statement correct?" He said "Yes," and signed his name to it. In reply to witness Reilly said he set fire to the woolshed because the bosses were always bossing him about, and talking to him as if he were a dog. He said it was for spite he killed Marter, because they had a bit of a row. Marter made over to hit him. He had a weapon in his hand, and struck him down with it. When he saw what he had done he put the body in the cave, and, after being tried, went back and took it out and burned it. He burned it on a little stony ridge. He did not think there would be any of the remains left, because he had burned it up clean. Since then he had travelled a good deal in Queensland, but he had always been hunted about and unable to rest, and last night he saw the man standing over him with a dagger, and it suddenly came over him to give himself up to justice on the next morning. He said he struck Marter with a tomahawk. Witness asked that the accused be remanded.

Thomas Joseph M'Naulty, a police constable, of the Criminal Investigation Branch, Queensland, said the warrant produced was issued by Mr. A. Darcy, J.P., of Cunnamulla, Queensland, who had jurisdiction to issue such a warrant in that State, and the offence was an indictable offence under the criminal code now in force in Queensland. He prayed that the accused be remanded to Cunnamulla.

Accused was thereupon remanded in the custody of Detective M'Naulty to Cunnamulla.

SOCIAL QUESTIONS.

THE CHURCHES' DUTY.

PROPOSAL BY ARCHBISHOP CLARKE.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

In the course of an address at the opening meeting of the Melbourne Anglican Synod to-night, Archbishop Clarke said a proposal would be submitted to members to establish a committee of the synod charged with the duty of studying social questions and helping in giving public utterance to the Church's mind in all such matters. Something more was needed than the individual utterances of the clergy. The mission of the Church was to show how victory may be won in social questions without exaggeration, due to passion or injustice produced by blind and unreasoning zeal. A concrete instance was to be found in the report just issued by the Commonwealth Government upon the sale of "secret drugs and cures." Those simple words concealed the history of shameless vice and sins done to obtain money, which must be read before it could be credited. Now, should the Commonwealth Government, in the interests of the community, investigate all those vices and tell the public about them, and should they, as a Church, remain silent? He trusted Parliament would do its duty on the side of legislation.

FIRE ON A STEAMER.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Monday.

A fire occurred on the Union Company's steamer Te Anau, 1683 tons, while lying at Westport. Considerable damage was done to the cargo.

The Te Anau is one of the oldest of the Union liners, having been built in 1879 by Messrs. W. Denny and Bro Dumbarton.

LATE SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS—Oct. 1.

Tainui, s, 2220 tons, Captain Lindbergh, from Tokehama, via ports. G. S. Yelli and Co., Ltd., agents.

Star, s, from New Guinea.

SIGHT TESTS.

DISSATISFIED TRAMWAY MEN.

MODIFICATION DESIRED.

THREATS OF A STRIKE.

The eyesight tests to which men employed on the trams are being subjected are giving rise to a good deal of discontent among them, although it was understood that the present method of examination was welcomed as a modification of what the men previously had to pass. At Newtown last week a "Herald" representative was present when a number of the men were examined, and they did not seem to regard the examination as anything very formidable. A large number, however, are of the opinion that the tests are still far too theoretical, and are not sufficiently based on practical service conditions. It is stated that about 4 per cent. of the men have failed to pass, and as there are about 4000 to be put through altogether, if they go down at the same rate the officials of the union point out that it will mean the dismissal of at least 150 or 160 men. In fact, they consider that the percentage is likely to be increased rather than decreased, as so far the examinations have only been conducted at Newtown depot, where all the men are young, while at Waverley a number of those who will have to go through the test are old steam-tram drivers. Complaint is also made that on the railways a practical test is sufficient, while on the tramways the men have to go through a theoretical examination.

In connection with the tests, exception is taken to the inclusion of purple, on the ground that it is not a distinct colour. Mr. Lawton, president of the union, expressed the opinion yesterday that for practical purposes, if the men were asked to distinguish flags and pick up the points at a given distance in the yards of the tramway depots, it would be all that would be necessary. In connection with the form vision tests, he states that the executive of the union were informed some time ago that these tests, which comprise the reading of various sized letters at a distance of 21ft, would be modified in the case of conductors, signal men, and ticket examiners. They were given to understand that these men would be allowed to read some of the smaller letters with both eyes, but instead of this being done they have to pass the test with each eye.

A number of the men are undoubtedly sore about the tests, and it was rumoured yesterday that something in the nature of a strike was contemplated. Referring to this phase of the discontent, Mr. Lawton said yesterday it was premature to discuss anything of so serious a character as a strike, although threats of the kind might have been made by some of the men, but so far as he and the rest of the executive officers were concerned, they were not impressed with the probability of any extreme step being taken. The men, however, were very keen on getting the tests modified, and meetings were to be held on Wednesday and Friday for the purpose of discussing the position of affairs.

The Railway Commissioners had nothing to say yesterday concerning the complaints of the employees as to the severity of the sight tests, or as to the agitation for a strike. It is, however, understood that the official contention is that the tests are the simplest possible commensurate with the safety of the travelling public. A responsible official stated that substantial modifications in the tests were made recently, and the elements of complication and confusion were reduced to a minimum, so that, it is claimed, men who cannot pass the revised and comparatively easy tests now demanded prove themselves to be unfitted for a service where there is always an enormous element of risk to the public. With regard to the number of failures, examinations had been conducted for a week, and so far only three men had failed, and in their case it was due to colour-blindness. The statement that the higher-paid men were being aimed at in connection with the tests was ridiculous, and he pointed out that the three men who had failed were in receipt of but 8s 6d per day, the ordinary wages of a driver; while endeavours were being made to obtain them other employment. As to the alleged difference in the railway and tramway tests, he said that the staff on the railways were examined theoretically with the same appliances used in connection with the tramway staff.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I have been directed by resolution of my union to write with reference to a paragraph which appeared in the columns of the "Sydney Morning Herald" on September 26, and dealt with the progress of the hearing and vision tests to which the tramway men are being subjected. I am to state that members of this union, after giving the matter the most careful consideration, are unable to "jubilate" because of the modifications so far approved, and for the very obvious reason that we consider the rigour of even the modified test as out of all proportion to the requirements of the service. What actual concern can it be to the department whether drivers and conductors are able to read bail-inch closely spaced, and in some cases erratically shaped, letters at a distance of 20ft, or to distinguish between blue or red or green lights from a lantern

NEWCASTLE.

CIRCUIT COURT.

NEWCASTLE, Monday.

The sitting of the Circuit Court was resumed at the Newcastle Courthouse to-day, Mr. Justice Cohen presiding. Mr. R. Cowan was Crown Prosecutor.

George Wilkins, charged with assaulting a girl under the age of 14 years, at Smedmore, was found not guilty and discharged.

In the case of Robert Date, 38, miner, of Kurri Kurri, who was charged with having assaulted a girl under the age of 14 years, the jury failed to agree, and were discharged. Bail was allowed, self in £25, and one surety of £25.

Otto Senn a German seaman, was found guilty of having, at Carrington, on August 28, stolen certain articles, to wit, one box, two uncut diamonds, two rubies, and other articles, together with a sum of money amounting to £32, the property of August Emmerick. He was sentenced to one year's hard labour.

Alfred George Napier, labourer, found guilty of abducting Mary Lydia Quirk out of the possession and against the will of her father, John Quirk, of Dunolly, near Singleton, on August 31, was sentenced to 18 months' hard labour.

CALLUNA, FROM DELAGOA BAY.

The barque Calluna, commanded by Captain Barham, which arrived in port from Delagoa Bay yesterday afternoon, made the run from port to port in 34 days, which is fast sailing time. When off St. Paul's Island, in the Indian Ocean, a heavy gale was encountered, lasting for three days, but no damage was sustained. Wilson's Promontory was passed 50 days out, and four days later Newcastle was reached. The destination of the Calluna is not yet fixed, and Captain Barham is awaiting the English mail.

TRIVIAL MATTER IN THE CIRCUIT COURT.

A case in which William Stevenson was charged with stealing a fowl at Teralba was heard at the Circuit Court to-day, before Mr. Justice Cohen and a jury. The case lasted two hours. Mr. Justice Cohen remarked that the Legislature should amend the law in order to provide that the attention of a Supreme Court Judge, Crown prosecutor, and 12 jurors should not be taken up with such trivial matters.

The accused was found not guilty and discharged.

NEWCASTLE CITY COUNCIL.

SEA WATER FOR STREETS.

The Newcastle Council met at the Council-chambers to-night, the Mayor (Alderman A. H. James) presiding. Twenty-two tenders were received for the electric light extension plant, which were referred to the electrical engineer for report.

The Mayor stated that while in Sydney he had called on the Premier in reference to a municipal wharf, and Mr. Carruthers was favourable to granting a lease of the harbour frontage for a wharf.

On the recommendation of Mr. Blackwell, city engineer, it was decided to instal a centrifugal pump, driven by electrical power, at the stone quarry, for the purpose of pumping salt water to Merewether-street tanks at a cost of £72. The engineer stated that by using salt water a saving of 12s 6d per day would be effected on the quantity used. This action was the result of a notice served on the council by the Hunter District Water and Sewerage Board stating that, owing to the insufficient water supply in Newcastle, the use of water on streets was prohibited.

HUNTER-STREET EXTENSION.

The scheme which the Newcastle Council has had in hand for some time for the extension of Hunter-street, the main thoroughfare, to Pacific-street, was moved another step forward at to-night's meeting of the council. A letter was received from Mr. H. Lang, acting on behalf of his clients, offering three blocks of land between Watt and Pacific streets for the sum of £100. The leases of these blocks are still running, but upon an arrangement being made with the lessees the council will be enabled to carry the street through, and thus effect a splendid improvement to the city, besides giving practically a direct thoroughfare to the ocean beach.

AN UNWILLING SAILOR.

JUMPS FROM A SHIP.

Some excitement was caused on board the ship Macrihanish while she was clearing the harbour outward bound to West Coast of South America this afternoon. A sailor named Bernard Dunlop, 25, who had signed on and shipped on the vessel at Newcastle, jumped overboard soon after the ship had passed outside the harbour. The pilot steamer Ajax, which was standing by, picked the sailor up, but as he refused to be placed on the Macrihanish, the Ajax brought the unwilling seaman back to port, where he was taken to the lockup.

HOT AND DUSTY.

The bulletin issued from Sydney Observatory on Monday stated that hot, dry, and dusty conditions may be expected, with rising temperatures, under the influence of equally north to westerly winds. Yet temperatures were low on Sunday night on northern rivers and northern highlands, the lowest registrations being 39 degrees at Inverell, and 31 at Casino. At Lismore 20 points of rain were recorded, while elsewhere dry conditions continued. Barometers have fallen generally over the Continent since Saturday. An extensive V-shaped depression has formed over the head of the Australian Bight, its influence extending well in towards Central Australia.

At the Sydney Observatory on Monday the highest temperature was 78.4, and at Parramatta 88.2.

UNEASINESS IN VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The remarkable absence of beneficial rains is causing considerable uneasiness throughout the State, and the Government Astronomer yesterday said it would be unwise to hold out any prospects of an immediate downpour for fear of bringing needless disappointment. There was a low barometrical pressure passing through the State, and this may, in the course of two or three days, bring a little rain, but it would be patchy, and confined almost entirely to the coastal districts, and even then will probably not be anything like the amount that is really required. There are no indications of general rain for some time to come.

RAILWAY FATALITY.

BOY FALLS BETWEEN CARS.

Alfred Wallace Arnold, 15, residing at Railway-parade, Kogarah, received terrible injuries, which resulted in his death, through being run over by a train on the Illawarra suburban line yesterday morning. The lad, who was a bootmaker, boarded a train at Kogarah shortly after 7 o'clock, but between that station and Rockdale attempted to cross from one car to another, and in doing so fell, the wheels of the train passing over his right arm and leg. He was taken to St. George Cottage Hospital, where it was found that his skull had also been fractured. To attempt to save the lad's life, it was deemed necessary to amputate the injured limbs, but he died shortly after 11 a.m.

SUPPOSED SUICIDE.

MAN'S HEAD ALMOST SEVERED.

H. J. Franklin, who had been employed as a caretaker at the premises of the Pacific Cable Company, in Hunter-street, was found lying on a wooden stretcher in a room on the first floor of the building yesterday, his throat being cut almost from ear to ear, and the head nearly severed from the body. A blood-stained razor was clasped in his right hand. Deceased was last seen alive about the middle of last week, and it is thought he had been dead since then, as the body, when found, was in an advanced stage of decomposition.

BILLPOSTERS' STRIKE.

There were no further developments yesterday in connection with the trouble which a couple of the leading bill-posting firms have had with their employees. Speaking yesterday of the demands of the men, Mr. Hollander said, with reference to the City Council's regulations, his firm was certain they would be administered in a spirit of fairness, both to employers and employees. So far as the paying of fines was concerned, they had declined to do this where action was taken owing to negligence on the part of the men, but if they were fined through following out instructions it would be a different matter. Mr. Hollander said they recognised the 48 hours principle, and were willing to pay for six holidays a year, and allow time and a half for overtime. He said they had had several applications for employment, but the places of the old hands were still open if they wished to go back.

Constipation lies at the root of most ordinary ailments — headaches, biliousness etc. California Syrup of Figs permanently overcomes constipation.—Advt.

QUEENSLAND.

MAIL COACH BURNED.

BRISBANE, Monday.

The Deputy Postmaster-General received a telegram from the postmaster at Cloncurry stating that Cobb and Co.'s agents report:—"Service 246 Helton to Cloncurry: During the return journey from Cloncurry to Helton the coach and contents were completely destroyed by fire. Only managed to save the horses. No mails on board. Twenty empty parcel baskets were destroyed."

DISASTROUS BUSH FIRES.

At Charleville bush fires are raging in all directions from the town. There is a large fire now on Bonnie Vale, the property of Mr. Robert Wade. The Rabbit Board's paddock, on Ward River, was completely burnt out, and another large fire is still raging on Burenda Station. Fires are also reported about Millie and Middle Creek.

COUNTRY NEWS.

WYALONG RAILWAY FACILITIES.

WEST WYALONG, Monday.

A largely-attended meeting was held in Hanson's Victoria Hall, West Wyalong, on Saturday, at which a resolution was carried that the Railway Commissioners be asked to extend the present line of railway, which terminates about a mile on the Sydney side of West Wyalong, to a central position at West Wyalong, and to have a passenger platform provided. A letter from the Department showed that grainsheds and other improvements were being erected, at a cost of about £700, therefore, the idea of asking for the removal of the whole of the station buildings, as not likely to be successful, was abandoned, and the less expensive proposal adopted.

DUNGOG WATER SUPPLY.

DUNGOG, Saturday.

At the municipal council meeting last night the Mayor, Alderman M'Namee, drew attention to the urgent need for the installation of a water supply in Dungog. At the present time 75 per cent. of the residents are buying river water, which is of doubtful quality, and in the event of fire the town would be absolutely at the mercy of the flames. He moved,—"That, in the opinion of the council, it is advisable to establish a water supply, and that the Minister be written to asking that an officer be sent up to report upon the matter." The scheme suggested is that the river be tapped at Chichester, 10 miles above Dungog, and the water reticulated here to a reservoir on one of the neighbouring hills.

THE CHURCHES.

COFF'S HARBOUR, Monday.

The foundation-stone of the Catholic Church here was laid yesterday by Archdeacon Walsh, of Maclean. Over £50 was subscribed.

GLOUCESTER, Monday.

St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church was formally opened on Sunday. Bishop Dwyer consecrated the building and preached to a large congregation after the celebration of mass by the Rev. J. C. Meagher, of Dungog. The edifice is built of wood, and, with the land, cost £210. The sum of £42 was subscribed at the opening service, leaving only a debt of £60 on the building.

WOLLONGONG, Monday.

At St. Michael's Church of England yesterday morning the Rev. Edward Lampard, B.A., was inducted into the incumbency of Wollongong parish by the Rev. T. A. Atkin, M.A., Rural Dean, who preached an appropriate sermon. At the evening service the sermon was preached by the newly-inducted rector. There were large congregations at the service.

CIRCUIT COURTS.

DUBBO, Monday.

At the Circuit Court to-day George Lamont, found guilty on Saturday of assault and attempted robbery at Bogan Gate on August 28, was sentenced to two years' imprisonment. Francis Joseph Druitt, 18, was charged with a similar offence. That case had not concluded when the Court adjourned.

CASINO, Saturday.

The banquet tendered to Mr. Robert Pyers, ex-M.L.A., by his supporters proved a great success. The School of Arts was packed. The Mayor presided, and speeches eulogistic of Mr. Pyers's past services to the district were made.

COONAMBLE, Monday.

Mr. Harold M'Cullough was entertained at Tattersall's Hotel on Friday by a number of friends on the eve of his departure for Hay. This morning the departing guest was the recipient a handsome presentation.

DUNGOG, Monday.

A largely attended public meeting was held in Dungog on Saturday afternoon last for the purpose of deciding the best means to recognise the past services of Mr W. Bennett while Parliamentary representative for Durham. Mr. Abbott presided. It was decided to present Mr. Bennett with a purse of sovereigns. A collection is to be made throughout the electorate among supporters and friends. Mr. Joseph Abbott was appointed treasurer. The sum of £50 was raised in the room.

MULLUMBIMBY, Monday.

Mr. Inspector M'Coy, B.A., has held his annual summer school at Durrumbool. A great deal of work was got through. The students were entertained by the townspeople in the School of Arts, Mullumbimby, on Thursday night. On Friday night a presentation was made to Mr. M'Coy by the students of a handsome pair of gold sleeve links. Mr. Grierson, teacher at Durrumbool school, was also presented with a silver hot water jug.

THE ENGLISH CRICKET TEAM.

QUESTION OF GROUNDS.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

At a meeting of the Victorian Cricket Association to-night, the chairman (Mr. D. Mackinnon, M.L.A.) reported that he and his co-delegates had been unable to come to any understanding with the Melbourne Cricket Club in regard to the use of their ground for the English tour. The M.C.C. required 15 per cent. of the gross proceeds. The association decided to offer 5 per cent.

LITHGOW IRONWORKS.

INCREASED OUTPUT.

LITHGOW, Monday.

The output at the blast furnace continues at about 700 tons per week. Sales of pigiron are also satisfactory, and for the months of October and November the output has been sold ahead. Orders are coming in from all the States, and in a specially large degree from Victoria, from which State very satisfactory reports as to the quality of the iron have been received by the firm. The actual figures showing the sales of pigiron during the past three months indicate a steady growth. The sales of pigiron for July amount to over £4300, and for August over £8900. For the month of September, just closed, the pigiron sold totalled to £10,671. Of course these figures are only for the blast furnace, and do not include the produce of the steel works and rolling mills, as well as other portions of the plant. Interest in the new company has been aroused by the prospectus just published.

BUSH FIRES.

COOMA, Monday.

The bush fire which was reported at Bobeyan has spread over some seven miles of country, including 3000 acres of land applied for at the local lands office this week.

LIVERPOOL, Monday.

Extensive bush fires have been raging at Holdsworthy during the past few days. Last night the reflection of at least half a dozen bush fires was visible in that locality, extending over a distance of many miles. So far no damage to property has been reported.

ROBBERY AT HURSTVILLE.

On Saturday night the residence of Dr. M'Leod, residing in Queen's-road, Hurstville, was entered by thieves, who got away with about £5 in money, as well as jewellery to the value of £17. An entrance was effected through a window having been left unfastened.

THE RYDALMERE CASE.

ACCUSED FURTHER REMANDED.

George Workeman, Patrick Murphy, Michael Mullane, Thomas Mullane, and James Boyle, who, it will be remembered, were charged at the Parramatta Police Court yesterday with assaulting, with intent to murder, Constable Michael Howard, Mr. E. Abigail appeared for Workeman and Boyle. The police were not prepared to go on with the case, as Constable Howard was still in the hospital. The accused were remanded till Wednesday week.

A SECRET.

The secret of PEARS' SOAP is that it has no excess of alkali in it. No matter how much you may use it, you cannot roughen the skin with it.—Advt.

SPORTING.

THE TURF.

The time for receiving entries for the five events on the card for the N.S.W. Trotting Club's meeting, to be held on the 8th inst, has been extended up to 5 p.m. to-day. The programme is set forth in this issue.

The satisfactory total of 111 entries was received yesterday for the half-dozen events on the card for City Tattersall's Club Spring Meeting, of which the Hurdle Race was responsible for 13, Flying Handicap 15, Novice Handicap 24, Club Mile 15, City Tattersall's Handicap 24, and Flying Welter 20. Among the entrants for the principal event are Inglewood, Zenda, Fez, Vanadium, The Shades, and Anstroff.

The following scratchings were recorded yesterday in connection with the A.J.C. Spring Meeting:—Derby: Maltine and Xanthippus; Epsom Handicap: Maltine, Lochan, Eruption, and Coolah, Metropolitan: Carnarvon, Maltine, Exsul, Breeders' Plate and Glencrack Stakes: Chamade. Kensington Handicap: Fille Fogi and Barbican. All engagements: Blue Gum, Gowrie, and Mahutonga.

Carnarvon was yesterday struck out of the St. Leger, 1908.

Messrs. M. Cook ("Terlings," of the "Australasian") and A. J. Austin ("Sirdar," of the "Queenslander") are among the early arrivals of the interstate visitors to assist at the A.J.C. Spring Meeting.

At Randwick yesterday afternoon several trainers availed themselves of the chance to practise their jumpers over the steeplechase course. Haydn, Phaetontis, Pipi, Dingo, Eclair, and Avoca started in company at the half-mile post, and completed a circuit of the course. All got round safely, with the exception of Avoca, who ran off at the second fence of the treble, and afterwards toppled over the logs in front of the grand stand. His rider, Martin Ryan, was knocked out by the fall for a few minutes, but luckily his worst injury was a badly bruised arm. All the others jumped perfectly. Phaetontis and Eclair especially so. When these had completed their task, Marjorie, ridden by her owner, Mr. H. J. Gillespie, jumped the brush fence near Oxenham's, and then retired. Duly in the afternoon Fluorine, piloted by A. Scott, was given her first lesson over the hurdles, and she successfully negotiated six jumps, but in awkward fashion. Another to jump the battens was Nickel, who, in the morning, carried J. Freeland over three sets in good style.

The weekly meeting of the board of management of the Associated Racing Clubs took place yesterday, when a permit to ride was given to Thos. O'Brien and a jockey's license to G. J. Worrall, while a trainer's license was issued to J. Parry. An application to remit the fine of £5 imposed on the owner of Combo, for non-scratching, was refused. The jockey, H. Mulligan, was granted £6 from the Distressed Jockeys' Fund. P. W. Horan's appeal against the recent decision of the stewards disqualifying himself and the b m Miss Metal, the hearing of which was adjourned from the previous Monday, was, after being referred to the stewards, upheld.

The best backed horses yesterday, in the local betting market on the Epsom Handicap, were Iolaire, Antonio, and Melodrama, and, so persistent was the demand for the imported horse, that between £3000 and £4000 went down against him, and he finished up a long way in front of the two points behind Iolaire. Legation and Lord Beauchamp were next fancied, then Melodrama and Luciana, with Virtu and Pompous following. Moolan, Garches, and Maranui were the horses most inquired for in connection with the Metropolitan, and the first-named was at very short price. Dyed Garments was backed to win a few thousands for the Melbourne Cup, as also was Master Foote; but there was nothing doing on the Caulfield Cup.

The N.R.C. committee has decided to register the names of all horses running under the rules of the club. The principle was affirmed at a meeting held on Friday last, and the details of registration will be formulated at an early date.

The Murrumbidgee Turf Club has provided prize money totalling £200 for its spring meeting, to be held on November 11 and 12.

The proprietor of the Boolaroo Racecourse is not satisfied with the dates allotted him by the A.J.C., and has applied to the Chief Secretary to allow him to select other dates. The Minister promised to inquire into the matter, and said he would endeavour to get satisfactory arrangements made.

VICTORIAN SPORTING NOTES.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The following scratchings were recorded to-day in connection with the V.A.T.C. Spring Meeting:—

Caulfield Cup: Hayrick. Toorak Handicap: Contra, Grenadier, Iolaire, Seddon, Bisaven, Royal Scot, and Cowell. Debutante Stakes: Demolition, Lady Trenton colt, and Kira Weenie filly. Caulfield Guineas: Honeybear, Seddon, Corzil, Attica colt, and Mercy Merrick filly.

Antonio was in great demand to-day for the Epsom Handicap, his odds shortening to half what they were last week. Iolaire was still favourite for the race, with Antonio and Legation next in demand. Mountain King received some attention for the Melbourne Cup.

Artful and Hayrick have been scratched for the Melbourne Cup.

A race meeting was held at Richmond to-day in aid of Mr. Harry Boyle, the old-time cricketer, and resulted in £300 being realised.

AUSTRALIAN JOCKEY CLUB.

SPRING MEETING.

FIRST DAY.

The following weights were declared yesterday for the

KENSINGTON HANDICAP—7f.

	st	lb
Antonia	11	7
Forge	11	0
Refrain	10	9
Picturesque	9	11
Lord Fitzroy	9	10
True Light	9	9
The Intended	9	9
The Palmist	9	9
Pompous	9	8
Fez	9	8
Adele	9	7
Antrobus	9	7
Galy	9	7
Anastroff	9	7
First Consul	9	7
Fille Fogi	9	6
Dulaware	9	4
Caesar	9	4
Lord Beauchamp	9	4
Mary F.	9	4
Swallow	9	3
Barbican	9	2
Barrenjoey	9	0
Binna	9	0
Set Free	9	0
Epic	9	0
Way Bee	9	0
Rhodesia	8	12
Metallist	8	9
Lamora	8	5
Totolo	8	4
Belfry	8	9
Samurai	8	9
Blazing Star	8	7
Eruption	8	6
Sea Gold	8	6
Budyard	8	5
Bungledon	8	4
Submarine	8	4
Far North	8	4
Gecko	8	4
Lady Wilde	8	4
Mary of Argyle	8	3
Dantsic	8	0
Sir Aymer	8	0
Bright Lady	7	13
Indian Princess	7	10
Straight Wire	7	9
Smart	7	9
Simora	7	7
Nucifers	7	7
Wee Willie	7	7
W.A.	7	7
Dalrymple	7	7
Duke of Clarence	7	7
Bushgrove	7	7
Coolah	7	7
Karanaud	7	7
Lord Cecil	7	7
Maori Girl	7	7
Lord Jersey	7	7
Nationora	7	7
Reprint	7	7
Longchamps	7	7
Carl Zena	7	7
Arcturus	7	7
Singer	7	7
Blue Gum	7	7

VICTORIA AMATEUR TURF CLUB.

TOORAK HANDICAP.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The following weights have been declared:—

TOORAK HANDICAP.

	st	lb
May King	10	3
Ebullition	9	5
Step Out	9	1
Phil Us	9	1
Iolaire	8	13
Sporran	8	9
Ellis	8	9
Charles Stuart	8	9
Graftondelle	8	9
Prophecy	8	7
Tulkeroo	8	7
Pius	8	7
True Scot	8	7
Yabba Gabba	8	4
Appraiser	8	3
Sweetness	8	2
Aravos	8	1
Kiroy	7	13
Rhuearb	7	13
Thalaba	7	13
St. Peter	7	12
Sylvan King	7	11
Dynamite	7	11
Curtain Lecture	7	11
Grenadier	7	11
Pifle Fogi	7	11
Seddon	7	9
Rangatira	7	7
Brian Boru	7	7
Thackeray	7	7
Delaware	7	7
La Vellis	7	7
Charmant	7	5
Mumu	7	5
Virtu	7	5
Bon Grafton	7	5
Jack Smith	7	5
Lachlan	7	3
Riversdale	7	3
Robe	7	3
Topedi	7	3
Bullion	7	3
Kyadgovia	7	2
Seychelles	7	1
Medallist	7	0
The Amazon	7	0
Bergerat Brue	7	0
Goitre	7	0
Splash	7	0
Dalrieda	7	0
Captain Shannon	7	0
Two Step	7	0
Solitaire	6	13
Lady Fiddledee	6	13
Medaglia	6	13
Corzil	6	13
Socialist	6	13
Illaarm	6	12
Dalgety	6	12
Cambridge	6	11
Scottish Mist	6	11
Orline	6	11
Monody	6	9
The Nine	6	9
Ulonga	6	7
Orleans	6	7
Royal Scot	6	7
Ben Johnson	6	7
Pretty Peg	6	7
Conge de Salire	6	7
Postage	6	7
Ringlet	6	7
Tryst	6	7
Birrbryne	6	7
Perfection	6	7
Capon	6	7
Equiform	6	7
Wirrunda	6	7
Mensale	6	7
Mill Song	6	7
Bankfield	6	7
Guarantee	6	7
Leading Lady	6	7
Night Royal	6	7
Kielder	6	7
Marta	6	7

VICTORIA RACING CLUB.

OCTOBER MEETING.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The weights for next Saturday's meeting have been issued as follows:—

Hurdle Race, 2m.—Deering, 11st 9lb; Reddy, 11st 7lb; Sea Swell, 11st 5lb; Koala Lumpur, 11st; T.T., 10st 9lb; Emblem, 10st 6lb; Invermagnon, 10st 1lb; Starboard, 10st 4lb; Simona, 10st 4lb; Boladale, 9st 12lb; Gulgong, 9st 9lb; Kororoit, 9st 9lb; Reika, 9st 7lb; Sir Douglas, 9st 5lb; Afric, 9st 3lb; Kolande, 9st; Princelike, 9st.

Paddock Handicap, 6f.—Pink Up, 9st 6lb; Sweetmon, 8st 11lb; Masarin, 8st 7lb; Yeulba, 8st 5lb; Nipper, 8st 5lb; Master Foote, 8st; Bon Grafton, 7st 13lb; Splash, 7st 12lb; Two Bags, 7st 10lb; The Amazon, 7st 10lb; Mookbin, 7st 8lb; Hunt Gout, 7st 5lb; Cambridge, 7st 5lb; Lady Joan, 7st 3lb; Hecuba, 7st 2lb; Socialist, 7st 1lb; Somnambulist, 6st 13lb; Stirling, 6st 11lb; Maria, 6st 9lb; Akim Foo, 6st 9lb; Tittele Brune, 6st 9lb; Orleans, 6st 7lb; Leading Lady, 6st 7lb; Zorava, 6st 7lb.

Hunters' Steeplechase, about 3m.—Mallow, 12st 7lb; Chesterlea, 12st 2lb; Roscommon Boy, 11st 12lb; Killarney, 11st 7lb; Elim, 11st 5lb; Host, 11st 1lb; J.R.M., 11st 1lb; Perusal, 10st 11lb; Bush Lady, 10st 11lb; Sammy Clyne, 10st 9lb; Grandmaster, 10st 5lb; Iris, 9st 7lb.

Grandstand Handicap, 1½m.—Scotchman, 9st 9lb; Zinskie, 9st 5lb; Proceeder, 9st 1lb; Dyed Garments, 8st 11lb; Graftondelle, 8st 11lb; Yabba Gabba, 8st 8lb; Tullaroo, 8st 8lb; Ellis, 8st 6lb; Felicita, 8st 3lb; Rangatira, 8st 3lb; Pierus, 8st 1lb; Rhubarb, 8st 1lb; Charmant, 7st 13lb; Invergordon, 7st 13lb; Marmont, 7st 11lb; Cairngorm, 7st 9lb; Carrimuna, 7st 7lb; Monaro, 7st 5lb; Merry Monarch, 7st 3lb; Lady Diffidence, 7st 1lb; Boastful, 7st 1lb; Bon Grafton, 6st 13lb; Monody, 6st 11lb; Melbourne, 6st 11lb; Pliable, 6st 9lb; Carl Doon, 6st 9lb; Fidelis, 6st 7lb; Whitehall, 6st 7lb; Orleans, 6st 7lb; Marie, 6st 7lb; Ulonga, 6st 7lb.

WOLLONGONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Following are the weights for next Thursday's meeting:—

Spring Handicap, 6f.—British King, 9st 5lb; Morok, 8st; Saucy Kate, 8st 7lb; High Lady, 8st 7lb; Lady Grace, 7st 12lb; Kempsey, 7st 4lb; Mary Dorsett, 7st; Phrixus, 6st 10lb.

Trial Stakes, 6f.—Charlotte, 8st 5lb; Mary Dorsett, 9st 5lb; Gracewood, 9st 1lb; Merton Lassie, 9st 1lb; Blue Mine, 9st 1lb; Sedgegirl, 8st 5lb; E.L., 8st 5lb; Ezandercie, 8st 5lb; Waiana, 8st 5lb; Clare, 8st 2lb; Disgusted, 8st 5lb; Nightshade, 8st 5lb.

Wollongong Handicap, 1m.—Rumsail II., 10st; Britton King, 8st 12lb; Pegar, 8st 2lb; Abandoned, 8st; Nangwina, 8st; Lady Set; Ambassador, 8st 12lb; The Dream, 7st 12lb; Guarantee, 7st 6lb; Propeller, 7st; Seamster, 7st; Lowmoor, 7st; Glentana, 7st; Lancer, 6st 11lb; Pearl Ash, 6st 7lb; Phrixus, 6st 7lb; Nightshade, 6st 7lb.

Time Handicap Trot, 1½m.—Ethel, arr; Sinn Fein, arr; Prince Valdemar, arr; Farmer, 5s bhd; Clarrie, 5s; Ladylight, 7s; Trudger, 7s; Sandy Boy, 7s; Bori, 12s; Major Hall, 16s; C.W., 20s bhd.

Flying Welter Handicap, 6f.—Morok, 11st; Ambassador, 9st 7lb; The Dream, 9st 7lb; Bismarck, 9st; Seamster, 9st 4lb; Glentana, 8st 13lb; Lady Grace, 8st 7lb; Merton Lassie, 8st 7lb; Gracewood, 8st; Pearlash, 8st; kulp, 8s.; Clare, 8st; Phrixus, 8st; Disgusted, 8st.

CITY TATTERSALL'S CLUB SPRING MEETING.

The following are the entries for the above meeting:—

Hurdle Race, 2m.—Old John, Hard Face, Tiddly Wink, Mite, Kilcrich, Bega, Pyrodyne, Oscar, Cestrian, Rosehy, Superstition, Sandboy, Old Bob (late Celerity).

Flying Handicap, 6f.—Forge, Arsenio, Gaby, Miss Malster, Jute, Lord Beauchamp, Boko, Naltcomia, ——, Heiro, Virtu, Far North (late Riff Raff), Lismarie (late Paladin), Alibi, Mary of Argyle.

Novice Handicap, 7m.—Hard Face, Copperion, Lady Grace, Liquid Gas, Bushgrove, Rosehy, Mark Orrel, Zaph, Morella, Reprint, Smart, Coolah, Clayton Common, Lochan, Dora Grey, Longchamps, Carl Zena, Singer, Nangroo, Straightwire, Ben Buckley, Alibi, Guarantee.

Club Mile.—Gaby, Kirrinaor, Karanaud, Percival, Miss Noble, The Intended, Vada, Footpad, W.A. (late Project), Belfry, Wee Willie, La Veille, Arcturus, Lamora, Simora.

City Tattersall's Handicap, 1½m.—Epic, Zenda, War Boy, Aragain, Gaby, Duke of Clarence, The Shades, Richard, Inglewood, Refrain, Vanadium, Wee Laddie, Armilla, Paterno, Sir Pegar, Australian Colours, Anstroff, Dorcas, Greydix, The Palmist, Amphora, Mary of Argyle, Walkato.

Flying Welter, 6f.—Buddah, Soleil, Wedding Bell, Hard Face, Rose, Sweetmon, Conductor, Lord Jersey, Shining Light, Wee Lassie, Orel, Lochan, Schooner, Submarine, Bungledon, Athol, Nelson, Straightwire, Far North (late Riff Raff), Simora, Hildebrook.

GOLF.

ROYAL SYDNEY G.C.

ASSOCIATES' MATCHES.

Yesterday's competitions resulted as follow:—

Driving Competition for Mrs. Bramston's trophy.—Won by Miss Warren.

Approaching and Putting for Miss Fairfax's trophy.—Won by Miss C. Trevor Jones.

Open Handicap. Bogey.

(Trophy presented by Mrs. Garland.)

Mrs. Sandes and Miss C. Trevor Jones, hcp. 7, 5 down.

Mrs. Thiel and Miss Levy, hcp. 8, 5 down.

Mrs. Fairfax and Mrs. Chomley, hcp. 6, 6 down.

Mrs. Anderson and Miss Minter, hcp. 10, 7 down.

Mrs. Atkinson and Mrs. M'Carthy, hcp. 5, 7 down.

In the play-off for the Cup the match was won by Mrs. Sandes and Miss C. Trevor Jones.

The croquet and tennis lawns will not be closed for top-dressing until after race week.

ARMIDALE, Monday.

The monthly bogey competition to-day resulted as under:—

H. S. Moss (30), 3 up; E. H. Flatt (30), square; J. Sterling (plus 1), 1 down; R. Blaxland (6), 2 down; E. F. Furnius (20), 4 down; S. S. Vane (9), 6 down; T. L. Docker (9), 7 down; J. F. Hartigan (12), 7 down; W. G. Thomas (27), 8 down.

CYCLING AND MOTORING.

AUTOMOBILE CLUB OF AUSTRALIA.

PETROL CONSUMPTION TEST.

The Automobile Club of Australia, gratified by the entry list remains that have attended its recent competitions, has decided to hold a petrol consumption test for all powers and makes of cars on the 26th inst. The event, which will comprise a run from Parramatta to Mona and back, will be confined to members. As in the recent short-distance petrol consumption trial, held at Kensington, the competing vehicles will be given only a limited supply of fuel will be allowed each car. In other that the arrangements may be carried out in a thoroughly fair manner, a number of special regulations will be enforced. An observer will be carried on each vehicle. The announcement of the event has aroused considerable enthusiasm amongst the members. Recently the kerosi rivalry has sprung up between the various owners of automobiles, each being eager to demonstrate in every new contest that the particular make of powered car is better than his neighbour's. For this reason it may look forward to the coming competition with interest. Those who have been successful in recent events hope again to prove victorious in the new form of competition, while others whose cars have not shown up prominently expect to be able to demonstrate that their make of automobile at least is unexcelled in a consumption test.

EIGHT-HOUR MEETING.

The eight-hour sports, which are down for decision at the Agricultural Ground on the 9th instant, are attracting much attention, and judging by the crowds of cyclists who have been in appearance at the local tracks morning and afternoon during the last few days, there is every promise that the racing will be the best yet held on the course. In addition to several important scratch contests, there are some amateur events to be run off. For the unmanned competitions all the best local and interstate riders have been entered. Reids Farry, the Australasian champion, Gordon, Kelt, Palmer, and Morgan, of Victoria, have agreed to compete. Queensland will be represented by Cassidy, and one or two others; New Zealand will have a representative in Plunkett, and South Australia will also have a man to race at the meeting. Amongst the local riders G. Lamb, Bourke, R. S. Robinson, E. S. Robinson, the brothers Hird, Rattray, Fowle, and others have been putting in special work during the past week.

PIONEER MOTOR CYCLE CLUB.

This club will hold a two-days' tour to Moss Vale and back. The start will be made from Sydney on Eight-hour Day.

SAILING.

SYDNEY FLYING SQUADRON.

At the Sydney Flying Squadron's meeting last night, the following entries were received for Saturday's opening race:—First heat: Zena (J. M. Smith), Australian (Chris Webb), Carballa (J. Ellis), Crescent (W. Dunn), Pheasant (W. Ferguson), Mariana (C. Hayes), Famous (T. Colebrook, jun.), Zanita (W. Martin), Donnelly (G. Holmes), Blanche (H. Wall). Second heat: Wynola (T. Leach), Scot (P. Cowle), Zena (W. J. Duncan), Desdemona (A. C. Robertson), Eileen (W. Read), Young Jack (J. S. Robinson, sen.), Gladwyn (S. Dietrich), Violet (A. Benson), Arthur (J. Smith), and Viking (A. G. West).

BILLIARDS.

CITY TATTERSALL'S TOURNAMENT.

The final of the above was played last night, with are as follows:—1st, L. Messer (rec. 95); 2nd, "Emu" (rec. 100) by 33. The prize-winners in the tournament are as follows:—1st, L. Messer (rec. 65); 2nd, "Emu" (rec. 100); 3rd, A. Maher (rec. 70); 4th, W. South (rec. 135).

At the conclusion of the game the chairman, Mr. Jas. Clarke, presented the cheques to the winners, and paid a tribute to the work done by the manager of the tournament, Mr. F. W. Cowell, and the handicappers, Messrs. E. Johnstone and F. W. Cowell, and stated that it was the intention of the committee to foster the interest in billiards and increase the prizes from year to year.

BOXING.

To-night at the Gaiety Blake and Athern will provide the 10-round preliminary, and at 9 the light weights, Turner and Bryant, will contest the best of 20 rounds.

WELLS DEFEATS MARKS.

BATHURST, Monday.

A 20 rounds boxing contest, for a £50 purse, was held to-night in the School of Arts Hall between Bob Marks, the winner of the New Zealand amateur championship, and D. Wells, of Newtown Pastime Club, in the thirteenth round Marks was counted out.

AMUSEMENTS.

"BESSES O' TH' BARN" BAND.

"The Besses o' th' Barn" Band, after a pleasant afternoon entertainment, made their farewell appearance at the Sydney Cricket Ground last night. The applause of the audience was very cordial, with the result that "The Turkish Patrol," "Abide With Me," the "Smithy in the Wood," and the "Hallelujah Chorus" were played as encores. Mr. A. Owen conducted his fine band with especial success in the "Lobengrin" selection, one of the most enjoyable items on the programme. At the close of the recital the electric lights were switched off, and a capital display of fireworks, cascades of fire from revolving centres that shot out Roman candles, and rockets of every kind, delighted the audience. Messrs. J. and N. Tait will now despatch the famous band to Hobart, and they will play at Melbourne, Ballarat, and the West before finally leaving for England once more.

MYSTERIOUS DROWNING ACCIDENT.

A mysterious affair occurred at Balmain at an early hour this morning. Shortly before 1 o'clock a man was seen to fall into the harbour

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

STOCKS AND SHARES.

A good volume of business was effected on Change yesterday, chiefly at late rates. Stockton Coal improved 1d, Perkins' Brewery, 1s; Tooth's Brewery, 5d; and Silverton Trams, 1s; other sales being at late rates.

The following sales were reported:—Morning: Hetton Coal, 58s; Goodlet and Smith, 15s; Silverton Tramway, 92s; Bank of New South Wales, £44 15s; Perkin's and Co., 37s; Fresh Food and Ice, 14s; Stockton Coal, 4s 10d; Colonial Sugar, £41 10s. Afternoon: Tooth and Co., 33s 9d.

Closing quotations were:—

Company.	Capital Paid up.	Amount of Shares.	Last Div. per share.	Shares Paid Up.	Prices. Last Sale.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Yield as to middle p.
STOCK.								
N.S.W.F.S.	£	£	£	£	s	s	s	£ s. d.
Do. due 1917	4,086,202				88	87	88	
Do. due 1912	1,250,175				98	98	98½	
Do., due 1912	2,249,350				102	101½	102½	
Do., due 1913-5								
Do., due 1913					99	99		
Do., due 1921					99½	99		
Do., Act 1872	830,189				108	107	110	
Do., 4 p.c. due 5.8.07	550,000				100½			
Do., due 1909					100	100	101	
Do., Deb. 1908					100			
Do., T. Bills, 1906	1,109,700				99½	100	99½	
Ditto 1907	958,000				101½	100		
N.Z. Deb. 1913					101			
Do., 1927					102		102½	
Queens.deb., 1913					4 101½		101½	
Do., Tr. Bills	330,000				4 100½	101		
W.A. Inscr.					4 101 10/	101		
Austrin. 1927								
Do., 1922	300,000				4 101½	101		
City sydney Deb.	230,000				4 100½	102		
Do., 1908	100,000				4 103½			
Col.Sugar D., 1914					5 108	107		
BANKS.								
Aust. J.S.	1,500,000	40	40	14	105½			
Australasia		100	8		75 6			
City	240,000	10	8	3	7 5			
New Commercial	166,000	10	6	3	7 0/			
Do., Inscr.	788,038			5½	12/6	12/		
Com. of Aust.	3,834,903			8	17 6	17 0		
E.S.A. Inscr. pref.	689,419			8	18 1½	19 9	18/6	
Do., Def.	408,158			4½	18 9	18 9		
Do., Deb.	295,547				18 6	18 3		
Do., Tr. & Fin.	3,116,621			8	17 6	17 0		
STEAM.								
Pal. Steam	80,000	1	10	40	89/	40/6	5	
Howd'Smith pfd	250,000	20	20	10	85/4	85/		
Do., Sm.				10	7/	10/		
Pref 5% pd			20/	20	9 9/6	10 9	25/7	
Do., Sm pf.					9 9/6	10 9		
Illawarra	40,787	15	7		23 6	23/	24/	
Newcastle	130,000	1	6		74 7½	74		
N'th Coast	131,250	1	17/6	8	25/10	25/6	24 6	
Tas., Inscr.	80,413	1	17/6	8	25/10	25		
Port Jackson	23,466	20	25/	14	5 5/	5/		
Pref. Ferries	180,000	1	10	10	57/6	57/	55/	
Ditto, new	10,000		10		50 6		47/	
INSURANCE								
A.M. Fire	75,000	15/	14/	45/			45/	5
Mer. Mut.	45,000	1	6	14/	18/6	18/	18/6	4
New Zealand	250,000	10	10	10	30/		29/	6
N'th'rland	50,000	1	10/	8	20/	19/	19/	5
United	85,492	2½	1½	6½	6	6	6	
Col.Mut.Fire	100,000		2½	2½	2 6		2/6	
COAL.								
Pelambi	175,000	1	1/	58/			54/	58/
Past Chertsey	130,000	1	5	30/			29/6	31/
Red'r Greta	42,350	1		8/			6/9	
Hetton	125,925	5	5	50/			57/	60/
Wallsend, pref.				10			15	
Ditto pref.				5			14	
Ditto, ord.				10			16	
Newcastle	100,000	10	15	75	78	8		
North Bulli	100,000			20	25/	24/6		
South Greta	37,500	10	10/	11	4/10	4/		
Stockton	100,000			4	4/10	4/9		
New				4	1 met			
N. of Cmbl.	30,000	1	1/	15	20/		20/	
Wallsend	140,000	10	4/10	20	90/		96/	
Waratah				7	7/		9	
Wickham & Bull'h	104,943	1	1	6/9			6/6	
Do., new				15			4/6	
Do., pref.				10			10/	
Prof. Free. Inv.	12,864	4	10		3/			
Syd.&Sub.Dp.								
GAS.								
Albury	7,500	1	12/6	10	22/		20/	
Australian	1,250,000	8	5	125	10½		10½	
Ditto New				8	11½		11	
Balmain	20,000	5	20/					
Bathurst	30,000	5	5/					
Char. Towers	20,000	10	10	14				
Goulburn	10,000	1	1	5	5/7		5/	
Grafton	8,000	1	2	20/4				
Katoomba	10,000	1	20/		20/			
Kalgoorlie	15,500	5	7		8		6/	
Maitland	10,000	1	10	31	32/			
Metro.	2,500	1	17/6	10	30/			
Sydney	8,000	1	7		22/9		23/6	
Newcastle	45,000	2	15	6	6/		6/3	
N'th. Shore	150,000	1	8	41	39/		40/	
BREWERIES.								
C. A. Wood	200,000	1	4	118			11/6	7
Perkins'	100,000	15/	15/	22½	3/		30/9	37/9
Tooth's	400,000	10/	18/	75	11/9		11/9	12/
Tooth & Co.	800,000	1	1	8	33/6		33/6	34/
MISCELLANEOUS.								
Assoc'd Sawm.	17,500	15/	10		2/6			2/6
Aust. News	55,000	1			16/6			16/
B. H. W.	283,000	1	4	118			10/	10
Burns, Philp	250,000	1	10	20/3			40/	5
New Zealand	35,000	10	10	20	17			
Brooks & Co., pref.				9	99/			
Do., ord.							21/	
Coal Sugar	2,000,000	20	20	10	41½		41½	5
Dalgety & Co.	1,000,000	20	5	8	6½		6½	
Dunlop Pneu.				7	19/6			19/6
Do., pref.				7	4/10½			
Pan'n Rail.								
Ditto, pref., B								13/6
Tram & Pow.								
Gravel	87,200	1	16/	5½	6/6		6/6	
Goodlet and Smith	165,300	15	15/	6	15/		14/6	15/
H. M'Kenzie, ord.	60,000	1		6				
Do., pref.	40,000	1	10	27			26/	
Hetton Coal	400,000	1	10	40				
M. de Pass	74,518	1	10	7	20/			
Mort's Dock	150,000	1	3	6	17/6	17/6	18/6	
Pref. Inv.	450,000	1	10	45	22/3	22/	23/	
F. Food, Ice	91,750	10	10	9	26/		18/9	14
Publ'd Grav.	68,062	1	10	19	24/3		24/6	10
Do., pref.	55,000	1	10	5			14/9	
Perp. Trust	25,000	5	2/6	10	5/		5/	
Perp. Trust, pref.	25,000	10	5/	10	19/		19/6	13/6
Perry's Sal-volatile								9/
Richardson & Wrench	60,000	3	5		14/3		14/6	7
Sly, Trm.	187,500	1	3	20	9/		8/	5/6
Syd. Cycle Co.	20,000	1	20/	8			15/	17/
Syd. Tramway	131,250	1	17/6	8	29/		29/	24/6
Syd. Hyd.	53,000	1	17/6	8	25/10		25/	
Ditto, pref.	37,500	1	17/6	8	15/6		15/6	16/
Ditto Hyd. & G. L. 5%	92,500	15	17	31/			30/6	5
Strand Plac.	15,000	1	20/					
Tooth & Co.					190			
W. H. Soul Patt. & Co.	150,000	1	1	10	43/		42/	44
W. M. Hall	4,000							
Ditto, pref.	2,000			6				
Ntl. Mut. Life	75,000		20/	6	20/			5½
Ditto, pref.	37,500		20/	6	20/6		20/7	4/
Wright, Hey. & Co'ld Meat	50,000		20/		20/			
Ditto, new					12/			
LAND & BD.								
Com. B. & L.					2/6			3/
Excels. Prop.					9/			
Fin. & Mort. Ind. Prop.	49,580	20		6	19	19		
Intrc. Invs.	37,950	1	15	10	31/			4½
New. B. & L.				10	1/			
Prof. Free. Inv. Syd. & Sub. Dp.	12,864	4	10		3/			

*Where dividends are interim the yield is based on a year's distribution, otherwise on the last half-yearly one. †Per share. ‡12½ dividend. **Ex interim. §Call paid. ‖Including a bonus of 4 per cent.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

To-day's Exchange sales were:—Victorian 4 per cent. stock, 1923, £103 10s; ditto, 3½ per cent. Treasury bonds, £99 10s; Bank of Australasia, £103 10s; Commercial Bank, 12s 6d; ditto, pref., £6; Melbourne Trams, 35s 3½d; Potter's Sulphide, 1s 0½d.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

Quotations:—Barrier Wharf, b 9⅝ 6d, a 9¾; Broken Hill Water Supply, b 19s 6d, a 20s; Melbourne Trams, b 35s 9d, a 35s 6d; National Bank (pref.), b 41l 2s 6d, a £12 10s; Perth Gas, b 9⅝ 6d, a 9¾.

BRISBANE, Monday.

Quotations:—Queensland National Bank, 19s 9d, 20s 3d; ditto, inscribed stock, 16s 11d, 17s 2d; four per cent. Treasury Bills, b £101 10s.

FINANCIAL.

STATE REVENUE RETURNS.

The revenue of the State continues buoyant. Last month it increased by £136,077, as against the corresponding month of last year. The increase for the quarter has been no less than £390,784, of which £213,516 is due to excess receipts from the Commonwealth Treasurer, £163,854 to excess railway and tramway receipts. The following comparison may be made:—

State revenue for the first quarter.	Business Conducted.	Net Revenue.
	£	£
First quarter, 1905	1,221,929	1,284,518
First quarter, 1906	1,404,705	1,368,743
First quarter, 1907	1,735,439	1,517,093

QUEENSLAND INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Governor-in-Council and the Supreme Court of New South Wales having given their consent, the North Queensland Insurance Company, Ltd., and the North Queensland Accident Insurance Company, Ltd., have been amalgamated as from to-day, under the title of the Queensland Insurance Company, Ltd. The accident company was formed comparatively recently, as it was found that the parent company could not, under the Companies Act, as then on the statutes, extend its business in this direction. The Act has, however, since been amended, so that the need of the subsidiary company has now ceased to exist. This is the only insurance company with head office in New South Wales doing a combined fire, marine, and accident business, and has had a very successful career. The parent company was established some 21 years ago, and the alteration in its name, which appropriately takes place upon the company attaining its majority, emphasises the remarkable success that has been achieved. The directors announce that the financial year which ended yesterday was the most successful in the company's history, a large increase in the premium income bearing evidence of the popularity of the company with the insuring public, and the increased capital which shareholders have subscribed is indicative of their confidence in the future progress of the institution. The new company will have a nominal capital of £500,000, of which 150,000 shares will be paid up to 10s each. The parent company, at the date of its last balance-sheet, had a reserve fund of over £50,000. The board of directors is as follows:—Colonel J. James Burns (chairman), Messrs. Adam Forsyth (of the A.U.S.N. Company), John Macpherson, A. R. Troup, and Hon. Thomas Waddell (Colonial Treasurer).

CHAOS ON THE WHARFS.

In our issue of Saturday last a vivid picture was drawn of the state of chaos that exists on the wharfs of this port, where cargo upon cargo is bundled ashore and trucked about in all directions, to the utter confusion of importers, carriers, and others seeking their goods. The question arises: Who is responsible for this state of things? Before a vessel is permitted to discharge either before reporting at the Customs-house, or after the usual hours, the master of the vessel is compelled to make application in the following form:—

I request permission to work before and after Customs hours, and I hereby guarantee to pay overtime, and I undertake, if required by you, to protect the goods landed, at the risk of the master, owners, and agents, and to pay all expenses incurred in such protection, and to attack sort, or otherwise deal with any goods landed under this permit to your satisfaction. The permit to discharge before report at the Customs-house contains the same obligation on the part of the master, owners, and agents, to stack and sort goods landed to the satisfaction of the Collector.

It will be clearly seen the Customs authorities limit their responsibility in this matter entirely in their hands, in other matters the officials are not slow to exercise authority given by the Customs Act and regulations. Why is there neglect in this case, when the reputation of the port is at stake? A proper system of sorting and stacking cargo would enable the Customs officials to find readily any package they desired to inspect or open for examination by the examiners of invoices, and prevent the recurrence of the present state of our overseas commerce.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

At the first of the weekly series of wool auctions, held at the Royal Exchange yesterday, the attendance established a record for any woolselling centre in the world.

The market was excited, and moved in sellers' favour.

Of the 5659 bales offered 5487 bales were sold, inclusive of private transactions.

The continuance of the dry weather is still causing uneasiness in most parts of the country.

Already small quantities of starving sheep have been received at the Homebush Yards. Yesterday a small parcel of woolly ewes sold as low as 4s per head.

The fact of prices for wool being so high, and likely to remain so, is a compensating advantage.

The want of rain is also prejudicially affecting the mining industry in parts.

It is expected that a considerable falling off in the output of butter will mark this season's operations.

Frozen mutton is still moving away in good quantities for the United Kingdom and the Philippines.

The price of wheat at Mark-lane during the next nine months promises to be higher than for a good few years back, but Australia is likely to have less grain than usual for export.

COMMERCIAL.

"LOWNDES'S" RUM.

Messrs. Thomas Lowndes and Co. ask that importers and distributors of "Lowndes's" rum in bulk be informed that, in order to meet the requirements of the Commerce Act, the casks of "Lowndes's" rum shipped by steamer Star of Japan and sailing vessel Lindfield, as well as future shipments, will bear on the head the words "Thos. Lowndes and Co., rum, London."

TARIFF DECISIONS.

Included in the recent tariff decisions are the following:—

Pending issue of the necessary "Gazette" notice, drawback may be allowed on imported anti-fouling composition used on ships trading beyond the Commonwealth, but not, to any amount greater than 6s per cwt.

Swansdown boot lining, item 124 E, Swansdown is also manufactured in qualities, suitable for wearing apparel, and as such is dutiable under item 124 F. In view of item 344, which provides that "stuff" for boots and shoes may be admitted at 10 per cent. ad val., 5 per cent., according to country of origin, it has been decided that swansdown boot lining entered under item 124 E shall be delivered only upon the passing of giving security to the satisfaction of the collector that such lining will be used only for boots.

Gold soldier, being gold in sheet form, free; item 236.

The operation of the decision of September 13, re printed music, is to be limited strictly to its terms. It refers only to covers in which the printed music is subsidiary to the advertising element.

Dunnage mats, used in stowing cargo, are free.

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

Tea.—The month closes on an extremely quiet month —probably the quietest experienced in Sydney for many years. It is the reaction which inevitably follows on a period of abnormal activity induced by threatened tariff changes. In the first seven months of the year buying was heavy in anticipation of the tariff; in August the loss of the Fortunatus cargo gave a further filip to specialties. Now dealers, finding themselves with large stocks in hand, under no obligation to come strongly on a high market, especially as distributors, largely because of the indifferent prospect ahead of the season, are ordering lightly. On the basis of present market prices, there is very little margin on the packet business unless the buyer is ready to raise the consumers' prices, which is difficult in the absence of a common understanding on the part of packers. On the other hand, recent information from Calcutta and Colombo does not suggest any immediate probability of material weakening in the markets there. Private sales reported covered 200 Chinas at 8½d to 10½d, 100 Ceylons at 9½d to 11d, and 200 Knobsom at 9d.

Groceries.—Some merchants reported an improved distributing business. Quotations, generally, were unchanged, without any alteration worth chronicling, except in regard to cream of tartar, which firmed to the extent of a farthing as a result of Continental advices pointing to an interruption in supplies. Australian factories as yet give no indication of being able to overtake orders, which in the case of Highlander, at least, are still about a thousand cases ahead of the deliveries. Considerable satisfaction is being expressed with the texture and quality of this season's sugars, particularly those from the tropical belt. They are stated to be, on the whole, beautifully dry and granular, and of high strength. Two lines which had some attention yesterday were Swinburne's gelatine and Higgins' patent dairy salt, sales being reported of 100 boxes of the former and 25 tons of the latter at a.p.

Oils and Metals.—The oil and metal markets reglain no change. Business was very quiet in both, but particularly so in metals.

Jute.—Cornsacks hang lifelessly awaiting whatever may turn up. No business of the slightest cause to light, and the market was nominal at 6s for August, shipped, 6s 2d for season's forward. Woolpacks were sold at 2s 6d delivered, but there were also quotations at 2s 8d. Brantags were nominally 8s; but their sale is to some extent interfered with by the number of second-hand bags which have lately been pressed into service.

At Darling Harbour on Saturday 4845 bales of wool were manifested to arrive by rail.

BREADSTUFFS.

Wheat was in much the same position as at the close of the week. Buyers were offering from 4s 3½d, and in one or two cases 4s 4d, but sellers' ideas were 1d better. The day, however, was practically without business.

City flours were firm at £10, and good country flours sold at £9 18s, with some lots at the equivalent of £9 15s.

Reports from the country indicated the crops from Grenfell to Whitton as having closed up a bit since the late rains, and were generally healthy, though, of course, short. In most parts of Southern Riverina, however, they were still very much atbirst. Round Cowra and Grenfell the prospects were reported to be very good, and very fair; also, in parts of the middle west. But taking the wheat belt as a whole, no amount of rain from this out will save the harvest from a considerable shortage, as compared with last year.

At Darling Harbour yesterday 480 tons of wheat and 157 tons of flour were manifested to arrive.

WHEAT AND FLOUR EXPORTS.

For the week ending September 28, 4240 bushels of wheat and 3054 sacks of flour were exported. Of the

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wheat 1180 bushels went to New Zealand, and the balance to the United Kingdom. The flour was distributed as follows:—Hongkong, 50 sacks; Japan, 800; New Caledonia, 1150; Philippines, 3245; and the islands, 185; while a few others went "elsewhere." Eastern merchants are now beginning to evince more concern about crop prospects, but on present appearances it certainly does not look as though they can hope for either Australian wheat or flour at anything like past season's prices.

The exports from the port of Sydney for the season—December 1 to September 28—have been:—

Destination.	Wheat. Bushels.	Flour. 200lb Sks.
U.K. and Continent	4,810,124	7,299
Japan	154,629	8,132
Hongkong	1,160	91,661
China	36	11,386
Philippines	—	56,545
Straits and Java	—	91,863
South Africa	20,000	140
Mauritius	—	2,790
Colombo	—	403
Noumea	6,540	38,307
South Seas	708	20,466
New Zealand	9,910	16,873
Total	5,018,140	356,809

The "Baker's Journal" gives the total Victorian exports from December 16, 1906, to September 21, 1907, at 2,263,735 bushels of wheat and 904,947 bushels of flour, of which 1,667,008 bushels of wheat and 11,254 sacks of flour went to the United Kingdom and 1,000 sacks of flour to the United States. The balance went elsewhere, and as showing the strength and direction of the subsidiary foreign grain and flour of the southern State in comparison with New South Wales the particulars are interesting:—

South Africa	270,898	..	254,817
Mauritius	—	..	12,207
Port Said	200	..	105
India	—	..	709
Ceylon	31	..	3,335
Hongkong and China	51,952	..	161,851
Japan	54	..	2,105
Manilla, etc.	—	..	81,190
Straits	—	..	18,902
Java, etc.	—	..	2,169
South America	281,763	..	15,341
New Zealand	1,057	..	

FROZEN MEAT AND BUTTER EXPORT.

During the week 6756 carcases of mutton were exported to the United Kingdom and Continent, 2571 carcases of mutton, and 224 quarters of beef to the Philippines.

The week's export of butter totalled 2356 boxes, 1090 being to the United Kingdom and Continent, 150 to Hongkong, 90 to China, 30 to Japan, 64 to the Philippines, and 27 to the islands and elsewhere.

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U.K. and Continent	4,810,124	7,299
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Hongkong	1,160	91,661
China	36	11,386
Philippines	—	56,545
Straits and Java	—	91,863
South Africa	20,000	140
Mauritius	—	2,790
Colombo	—	403
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South Africa	270,898	..	254,817
Mauritius	—	..	12,207
Port Said	200	..	105
India	—	..	709
Ceylon	31	..	3,335
Hongkong and China	51,952	..	161,851
Japan	54	..	2,105
Manilla, etc.	—	..	81,190
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